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## OVER SCORE KILLED BY TORNADES

MORE THAN HUNDRED  
REPORTED INJURED

Five Hundred Persons Home-  
less—Property Loss Totals  
Thousands of Dollars

Kansas City, April 13.—Tornadoes which swept parts of Missouri, Oklahoma, Kansas and Arkansas late yesterday afternoon and last night are known to have killed 25 persons, injuring more than 100, rendered more than 500 homeless and to have done thousands of dollars worth of damage to property.

According to dispatches received here to-day, it is stated there were several storms. The first tornado was reported at Eskridge, Kas., 25 miles south of Topeka, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Here many houses were destroyed and much damage done to the crops.

The storm which swept Eskridge, struck Powhattan and Netawaka, Kas., nearby towns, then swept off to the northwest, striking Whiting, Kas., north of Topeka, where sixty houses were demolished.

Continuing to the northwest, Hlatwatha and Manneville, Kas., were struck and three persons were killed and much property damaged.

At 8 o'clock last night a tornado struck Lawrence, Kas., killing two persons, injuring twelve and doing damage estimated at \$175,000. This storm swept the town to southwest, to the northeast and after passing over the Kansas river continued towards Leavenworth.

An hour after the first tornado struck Eskridge yesterday afternoon a tornado swept through Oklahoma, parts of Arkansas and southwest Missouri. Bighart, Okla., having a population of about 1,000, was the first town struck. The storm came suddenly, tearing down houses above the heads of people. Many rushed into the streets, only to be knocked down by flying debris, some meeting death. It was an hour after the storm before the first word reached Powhattan. A relief train was sent to the scene immediately.

At Bighart four hundred people are homeless and the work of rescuing the dead and injured from the wreckage was carried on by the light of lanterns. Through the territory covered by tornadoes great damage was done to the crops and it is probable that the total loss caused will not be known for several days. The storms are declared by the farmers as freaks of atmospheric disturbances.

At Lawrence the local company of militia was drilling and did not know there was a storm until the roof had been taken off their building. As the last of them dashed out of the front door the second floor fell in. A side of the county jail was torn down and about 30 prisoners made a dash for liberty, but were prevented from escaping.

At Kempton, Mo. a man was picked up by the wind and carried the length of a block and then dropped in the sheltering doorway of a large office building. He was badly injured.

A fireman on a train at Eskridge, Kansas, was picked out of his cab, carried across the street and there dropped.

At Germantown, Kas., a merchant had a full crib of corn awaiting to be shelled. He left his store shortly before the storm. When he returned his crib had been torn down but the corn had been pretty well shelled and the grain was scattered over the ground. In many places houses were picked and carried several hundred yards before falling.

In Lawrence, a small house was carried about a block and then dropped into a tree, where it remained firmly lodged.

A late bulletin from Independence, Kas., states a rumor coming over a private wire at Kansas City to-day, says the town of Bighart, Okla., was almost completely wiped out and that 25 persons are missing there. Sixty persons are known to be injured.

Storm Sweeps Wide Area.

Kansas City, Mo., April 13.—(Later)—Measure reports received this morning from the storm stricken districts of Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, and Arkansas, indicated that the storm covered a wider area than earlier information showed. The number of fatalities is still in doubt. The wire service was so nearly demoralized that definite news from many points was not obtainable.

When communication with Bighart, Okla., was re-established this morning, it was learned that two persons were killed and 60 injured, thirty six seriously. Every business house in the town was destroyed, including two hotels, a school house and the railway station. The seriously injured were taken in a special train to Tulsa, Okla. Whiting, Kas., at first reported to have been a severe sufferer, almost escaped injury. Communication with that town was not re-established until to-day. The tornado did much damage in the farming districts, both north and south of here.

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## FINDS RECIPROCITY POPULAR IN CANADA

SIR F. NEWNES HAS  
BEEN INVESTIGATING

Sentiment Stronger in West  
Than in East—Tells of  
Winnipeg's Fears

New York, April 13.—Sir Frank Newnes, the English publisher, who was in New York to-day on his way home from a month's tour of Canada, found the people of the Dominion overwhelmingly enthusiastic for reciprocity. He travelled from Montreal to Winnipeg, visiting the principal centres of population, particularly with a view to ascertaining the sentiment of all classes on the proposed tariff agreement.

"In the west I found the sentiment even stronger than in the east, with the exception of Winnipeg," said Sir Newnes. "In that city there is a feeling that the present relations with the United States should be undisturbed. Winnipeg will soon become the world's flour-making centre. A fear exists there that, with the tariff taken off wheat, the great flour-making plants at Minneapolis and St. Paul would continue to lead the world and Winnipeg's development would be checked."

### PHILANTHROPIST'S BIRTHDAY.

Chicago, April 13.—Dr. Daniel K. Pearsons, the Chicago philanthropist, whose benefactions to various colleges and benevolent institutions have exceeded \$4,000,000, will celebrate his 91st birthday to-morrow, and will mark the occasion by distribution of \$300,000 more.

### MAXIMUM PENALTY.

(Special to the Times.)

Nelson, April 13.—Convicted of having given liquor to an interdicted person, William H. Moore was ordered to pay a fine of \$300, or in default serve nine months in the provincial jail with hard labor. This is the maximum penalty.

## CARPENTERS GRANTED INCREASED WAGES

Number of Vancouver Employ-  
ers Decide to Pay  
Higher Scale

Vancouver, April 13.—Inquiries at the Labor hall to-day elicited the information that out of the 116 carpenters who yesterday reported that their employers would not grant the demanded increase from \$4 to \$4.50 per day, many had been sent out to jobs to-day on receipt of the information that the bosses would pay the higher scale. The big firms, with the exception of the Federal Concrete Construction Co., are still holding out, said an official of the carpenters to-day.

### BOMB OUTRAGE.

Hundreds of Houses Shaken by Explosion in Chicago.

Chicago, April 13.—Hundreds of houses were shaken about midnight when a nitroglycerine bomb was set off, supposedly by Black Hand agents, on the porch of a house at 853 Ewing street. One of the central points of panic was the Hull house, only a few hundred feet distant from the explosion. The explosion was heard for a radius of two miles. Hundreds of windows were broken. No one was killed in the house, which was badly damaged, but several persons within were thrown from their beds and injured. One of the features of the explosion was the simultaneous ringing in of a false fire alarm from a box a mile away from the scene. The police believe that the bomb thrower had an accomplice who turned in this alarm in order to divert the attention of the police and fire department from the neighborhood chosen for the explosion.

### TRIBUTE TO CANAL ENGINEERS.

New York, April 13.—Matthew Clark, the British engineer, who built the trans-Andean railroad which tunnels the Andes mountains at the height of 10,000 feet, arrived here to-day from Jamaica by the steamship Magdalene, full of praise for the Panama canal which he recently inspected. The adoption of the lock system, he said, was a stroke of genius and believes its opponents have already been confounded by the results. Mr. Clark is on his way to London.

### RESIGNS MANAGERSHIP.

Vancouver, April 13.—D. J. Stewart has resigned the managership of the B. C. Electric railway after having been 13 years with the company.



THE JOYS OF EASTERTIDE.

## RIOTS CONTINUE IN WINE DISTRICTS

RIOTERS SET FIRE TO  
CHAMPAGNE DEPOTS

Clashes Between Mobs and  
Soldiers—Number of Lead-  
ers Are Arrested

## ELECTION BILL MUST BE SETTLED

Council Resolves to Pay but  
Does Not Wave Any  
Flags Over It

Rhemes, France, April 13.—Each day the riotous demonstrations in the grape growing region of the Department of Marne, which began on Tuesday following the action of the senate in adopting a resolution favoring the suppression of the territorial delimitations of the wine producing area, grows more serious and the government is taking severe measures to quell the outbreak. Pillage and destruction of property is going on to an alarming extent throughout the disturbed area and the sky is darkened by the smoke from the smouldering ruins of burned and sacked wine property. Millions of bottles of champagne have been destroyed.

Troops estimated to number 12,000 have been concentrated in the Department of Marne, which region resembles a great armed camp. The soldiers are being openly defied and on several occasions have been compelled to charge with drawn sabres before the rioters were dispersed. At Vinay troops were actually held at bay while the mob of hundreds of discontented wine growers sacked and burned wine presses and a large amount of stores.

### Women Lead Mobs.

Epernay, France, April 13.—Despite the fact that the Department of Marne is a vast armed camp with infantrymen and dragons bivouacked throughout the night at almost every village in the champagne district, rioting broke out anew to-day and the flames of anger and vengeance swept the grape-growing region.

At Vinay, the rioters hastily threw up barricades with baskets, cases and debris of all sorts and succeeded in holding back the advancing troops, while another group of manifestants armed with torches entered the vast champagne depots. The mob smashed all the bottles of champagne they could find, broke the wine presses and then set fire to the buildings. Women were foremost in the work, singing snatches of revolutionary airs and urging on the riot.

When the troops reached Vinay the women lay down in the roads and defied the cavalry to ride over them. Eventually the troops succeeded in getting control of the situation and dispersed the manifestants.

The government officials claimed that the sacking and burning of wine pro-

perty is being done by criminal elements which are flocking into the region from other districts. The public prosecutor at daylight to-day proceeded to Ay, where a confrontation started by the incendiaries threatened for a time last night to destroy the entire village and made twenty arrests among the ringleaders of the manifestants.

Gendarmes Charge Mob. Rhemes, France, April 13.—A courier who arrived here to-day from Ventuill, the wine depot in the Department of Marne, said an overwhelming force of troops occupied that town without bloodshed. There was considerable rioting yesterday at Ventuill, detachments of gendarmes being compelled to use their sabres before the mob, which had destroyed several large wine presses, could be dispersed.

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The bill amounts to \$4,728.74, made up as follows: Mr. Robertson's fee for drawing up the Special Elections Act and putting it through the legislature, and his fee as commissioner, \$1500; printing, \$772.90; supplies, \$55.04; advertising, \$66; stenographers (four), \$87.75; clerical help, \$2,220.55, and other expenditures, \$26.50.

The clerical help was paid for at the rate of \$1 to \$1.50 per hour, and there were twenty-three persons had a hand in the work. The bill was accompanied by the following letter from the city solicitor, which is perhaps the best indication of the spirit in which it was received by the council:

"The 16th section of the Victoria Special Elections Act makes the certification of the provincial secretary final and conclusive, and we must pay whether we like it or not. There is nothing to do except pay."

As the account had already received the certification of the provincial secretary this information was received with a general sigh.

Alderman Bishop moved that the account be paid.

Alderman Langley meaningfully asked if there was no alternative and was solemnly assured that there was none. The certification put them out of court.

Mayor Morley struck the only optimistic note in the discussion. He said that they would know the ropes better next time.

The motion to pay was carried with grim enthusiasm.

## GRAIN CASE IS PROVING COSTLY

MAY BE CARRIED TO  
THE PRIVY COUNCIL

Costs Already Amount to More  
Than Sum Originally  
Granted.

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## FAVORABLE REPORT ON RECIPROCITY

BILL WILL BE DISCUSSED  
IN HOUSE TO-MORROW

Clause Regarding Future Ne-  
gotiations Will Not Jeopar-  
dize Measure

Washington, D. C., April 13.—The Canadian reciprocity bill was reported favorably to the House to-day by the new committee. The committee also passed favorably on the free list tariff measure, but will not report until to-morrow.

The Canadian reciprocity bill was taken up first by the committee and after a brief discussion, Representative McCallum, its sponsor in the congress, moved that it be approved. This was done without division.

The free list bill, however, was not unanimously approved, the vote on it in the committee having been a strictly party vote, the Democrats favoring and the Republicans solidly against it. Republican members, with Payne as spokesman, declared that the proposed bill was hastily and ill-advised—that the measure had not been referred to the tariff board and that Chairman Underwood and his Democratic colleagues on the committee had not sufficient data to show what effect the changes would have.

When the House met Chairman Underwood submitted the report of the committee. The reciprocity bill will be called up to-morrow for discussion. Opposition to the reciprocity bill from the same Republicans who opposed it in the last session developed. Representative Datzell, of Pennsylvania, asked the privilege of filing a minority report.

The clause in the Canadian agreement bill, inserted by the Democratic House caucus, providing that the president continue negotiations with Canada to insure further reciprocal relations will not in any way jeopardize the bill itself in the opinion of present leaders of both parties. Chairman Underwood, of the Democratic caucus committee, introduced the bill in the sixty-first congress, and President Taft himself concurred as to the added clause before it was proposed incorporated in the Underwood bill. Secretary Knox also was consulted.

## ILLEGAL TO WED BROTHER'S WIDOW

Judgment Given in Interesting  
Case Heard at City of  
Vancouver

Vancouver, April 13.—It is unlawful in British Columbia to marry your brother's widow, according to a decision rendered in County court, here this morning by Judge Lampman in the case of Herbert Baker.

After being refused a marriage licence in Vancouver, Baker went to New Westminster and secured one by making a declaration that there was no legal impediment to the marriage. The court declared the marriage illegal, but allowed Baker to go on suspended sentence upon his paying the costs of the prosecution, \$25.

### WOMAN DRINKS POISON.

Los Angeles, April 13.—After begging her roommate, Agnes Zam, to enter into a suicide pact with her, Mrs. Olive Delair, 22 years old, arose from her bed at the county hospital Tuesday night. She re-entered the ward, and without being seen, drank the poison. She died half an hour later. Mrs. Delair was sent to the hospital two months ago suffering from nervousness.

### SEEK SHARE OF FORTUNE.

San Francisco, Cal., April 13.—John D. and Adolph Spreckles, who were not named as beneficiaries in the will of their father, the late Claus Spreckles, involving about \$10,000,000, yesterday filed in the state supreme court a brief covering a thousand typewritten pages, defending their effort, thus far successful, to have the will so assigned. Should their object be achieved they would receive about \$2,000,000 each.

### ALLOWED APPEAL.

Toronto, April 13.—The divisional court had allowed the appeal of Mary Hendry, of New Liskeard, from the judgment of Chief Justice Mulock dismissing her action against D. A. Wismer of Vancouver. Mrs. Hendry purchased land in New Liskeard belonging to Wismer and paid \$50 to an agent named Weaver.

### SILK MERGER AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, April 13.—It is stated on good authority that a merger of Montreal and outside silk mills has been formed to be known as the Holding Paul and Cordell Silk Company. The total issue is probably about \$1,000,000.

## TOP HEAVY AND BADLY STOWED

OFFICIAL INQUIRY IN  
IROQUOIS CASE OPENS

Captain Eddie Hears Officers  
of Vessel at Sidney—Re-  
sumes in Victoria

Acting under instructions from the department of marine and fisheries, Capt. William Eddie, examiner of masters and mates at Vancouver, opened an inquiry at Sidney this morning into the loss of the steamer Iroquois. All the surviving members of the crew and passengers will be called to give evidence, and the instructions of the government are that a strict inquiry shall be made into all the circumstances connected with the disaster.

Capt. Geo. Johnston, who holds master's certificate No. 8205, was the first witness examined. He said:

"I watched the Iroquois from the wharf on Monday morning. The weather was very bad and I anticipated danger. It was unusually bad for that ship to go out in. The cargo was stowed in the usual manner, alright in fine weather, but certainly not in bad weather. There was cargo on the promenade deck. She seemed to be tender when she left the wharf. I said to the mate: 'The evil day will come some day, Johnny.' He said, 'Yes, I dread going from Fulton harbor to Port Washington to-day.'"

"What did you mean by evil day?" asked Capt. Eddie.

Witness—Capts. that is what I meant. I am a deep water man, but I have relieved Capt. Sears in command of the Iroquois. I know the route to Vancouver or Nanaimo. There was a heavy sea when she sailed, and I would not have taken the vessel out in the conditions. When we threw her ropes off she rolled over considerably, but after a time she recovered.

"As a seaman, to what do you attribute the accident?"

Witness—Top heavy.

### Cargo Stowed As Usual.

John Isbister had been mate for ten months and twenty days on the Iroquois. He said that on Monday she carried thirty tons on the freight deck. He was responsible for the stowing of the cargo, and it was done as usual.

"Do you consider that the stowing was detrimental to the safety of the ship?"

Witness—It was correct as far as I know. There was no cargo in the hold. The cargo was generally stowed on the freight deck, but not all of it. Some times I have found the vessel tender or cranky when the wind was blowing. She has carried more cargo. Her superstructure was not excessive. I think she was safe with the amount of cargo she had on the promenade deck, even with the weather as it was.

"I ask you as a mate and a seaman, would you arrange cargo in a similar manner?"

Witness—Yes.

"Even if you anticipated such rough weather as you experience amongst the Islands?"

Witness—Yes.

Isbister went on to say that the ship was well found. He had examined everything personally three weeks ago. The least draft of water she had on Monday when leaving the wharf was about eight feet—she was pretty well even fore and aft. Continuing, Isbister said:

"I remember meeting Capt. Johnson before leaving the wharf. All I remember him saying was that it was a pretty windy morning—the weather has changed considerably since last night. I don't remember any other conversation. Before leaving the wharf I went below and saw all of the ports closed and tight shut. There were windows on the freight deck. She headed on her regular course. About eight minutes later the cargo on the freight deck shifted, the heavy seas striking the vessel. This was the fertilizer and iron. When I saw what had happened I informed the captain that the cargo had shifted, and then went below with the deck hands and tried to right the cargo again. When told the captain asked: 'Is there very much of it shifted?' That is all—he issued no other orders at that time. A second sea struck the ship and shifted the rest of the cargo, and I went up and informed the captain again. The captain didn't say anything. 'I tried to get below, but she listed so badly I couldn't get there. I shouted to the deckhands below to come on deck and look after the boat and get them out. Before I could get them together she had listed so far that I could do nothing—she was going down. I then saw the captain coming from the wheel house. He walked along to the close to the companionway as if to go down to the freight deck. The captain said to get the crew together to see what we could do for the passengers. While we were doing this the hull had gone down altogether and the house deck lifted clear of the hull, and we were all on this."

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## CIVIC ESTIMATES ARE DISCUSSED

### INCREASES ARE ASKED BY ALL DEPARTMENTS

Slow Progress Made at First Reading—Fire Department Estimates Passed

Having come through the travail of another election the city council got down to the somewhat delayed consideration of the estimates for the current year at a meeting specially called for the purpose last night. The nature of the work demands careful consideration and investigation, as in many branches of the public employ large increases were asked for, to cope with the extended developments, and at least two more meetings will have to be called before the estimates are finally disposed of.

Last night was chiefly devoted to noting the changes and making comparisons with the statement of the previous year. In the majority of cases the items were laid over until the chairman of the department could bring in a report detailing how the extra expenditure was to be disbursed. The fire department estimates were among the few to receive assent.

There was a short discussion as to whether the estimates should be taken up in public or private. Alderman Gleason expressed the view that they should be taken in private, especially those relating to salaries. He pointed out that this course had been adopted in the past. Mayor Morley was inclined to agree with the idea of reserving the salaries for private discussion.

Alderman Humber, however, thought if a man was worth his hire he should not be ashamed to let the world know what his hire was. He favored the salary question being discussed openly. To this suggestion the mayor replied that it would perhaps be just as well, in view of the fact that the private proceedings of the council had a habit of leaking out anyhow.

Finally it was decided that only the non-contentious matter in the estimates should be considered in public. The question of salaries and increases was therefore left over so that the finance committee might consider them and report on them to the council.

The following statement shows the controller's estimate of revenue and expenditure for the year:

Revenue.	
Cash on hand in bank.....	\$ 14,353.77
Water rates and rents.....	155,000.00
Licences (liquor).....	51,000.00
Licences other than Liquor.....	22,500.00
Cemetery fees.....	5,500.00
Dog tax.....	2,500.00
Fire insurance Co's tax.....	13,500.00
Market fees and rents.....	2,500.00
Police court fines and fees.....	7,500.00
Found fees.....	750.00
Road tax.....	7,500.00
Education.....	51,250.00
Miscellaneous receipts and refunds.....	7,500.00
Interest from investments of Sinking Funds.....	28,000.00
Crescent account.....	5,000.00
Douglas St. telephone cond'n.....	4,000.00
Douglas St. Sidewalk widening.....	2,000.00
Interest on overdraft taxes.....	2,000.00
Sewers rental and sewers tax fund.....	24,375.00
Total.....	\$407,328.77

Estimated amount required to be raised from real property.....	\$500,305.84
Collected from real property, 1910.....	\$705,426.12
Rateable assessment 1910—Land.....	\$26,295,330
Improvements (50 p. c.).....	5,809,990
Total.....	\$32,105,320
Rate—26 1/2 mills.	

Expenditure.	
The following statement summarizes the salient features of the estimated expenditure for the year:	
City debt.....	\$ 222,655.21
Municipal council.....	6,000.00
Legal dept.....	10,920.00
Civic salaries.....	28,640.00
Civic institutions.....	246,654.00
Buildings and surveys.....	46,080.00
Streets, bridges and sidewalks.....	\$6,440.00
Miscellaneous.....	57,950.00
Education.....	255,763.00
Board of health.....	49,040.00
Water works.....	173,117.30
Sewers rental and sewers tax fund.....	24,375.00
Total.....	\$1,207,434.61

In regard to cemetery maintenance Alderman Feden stood out for an increase from \$1,500 to \$2,000. The increase was for obtaining the necessary assistance to keep the cemetery in order. The additional help would only be required during the summer months. In expressing his approval of the idea Mayor Morley said he was quite

sure the cemetery had never been taken care of as well as it might be. Alderman Humber, on behalf of the parks committee, raised a scare in the breast of Alderman Gleason by asking \$25,000 this year as against \$18,500 last year for maintenance.

Alderman Gleason objected to the increase on the ground that no details had been placed before the council as to how it was to be spent.

Alderman Humber pointed out to him that many improvements were now required in the Gorge park to bring it up to date as a recreation ground.

In connection with the application Mayor Morley commented upon the fact that while they had "knocked" the school board for lack of details in their estimates here they were practicing the same thing themselves. He requested a detailed statement from Alderman Humber on the expenditure required.

The estimates relating to the city pound were left over and a committee was appointed to consider the question of a suitable location. The committee consisted of Aldermen W. F. Furler, Okell, and Humber. In referring the matter to the committee the mayor stated that the dog-pound was becoming a disgrace to the whole city. He asked the committee to consult with the sanitary inspector and the pound-keeper as to the best location for the new pound.

As the police chief was not present the estimates for that department were not taken up.

The fire department estimates aroused some discussion among the members of the council and Fire Chief Davis as to the respective merits of motor and horse vehicles.

Chief Davis favored the motor equipment, but stated that since they had horses they would have to use them, and also provide new horses and harness, etc., so long as they continued to have the apparatus. He indicated in reply to the mayor that the initial expense of motor equipment was much heavier than that of horses, but the maintenance of motors was not nearly so heavy. When not in use the horses were eating their heads off in the stable, whereas when the motor was not in use it was incurring no extra expenditure.

To maintain a horse a month the chief said would cost about \$50, while to maintain a motor for a year would not cost above \$150. In the estimates the maintenance of the department for the year is figured at \$40,756. Among the items of expenditure was the sum of \$3,500 for alterations to headquarters, providing better accommodation for the men, improvements to the outside halls, and an office at the high power station. The cost of the new apparatus comes out of the by-law recently passed by the ratepayers. It was on account of that generosity on the part of the public that the chief did not feel justified in asking more at the present time.

Ald. Langley put in a strong plea for greater consideration for the library maintenance. The \$5,000 in the estimates was passed without opposition, but the alderman thought it was about time that something extra was done for this educational institution. The figure for maintenance was no greater than last year, but he thought it should be in proportion to the population which the library served. He claimed that the sum expended upon it was not more than 30 percent of what other cities would be paying. The library was not nearly large enough at the present time to accommodate all the demands made upon its capacity. This year the commissioners had had under consideration the starting of a children's room, as well as inaugurating other necessary improvements to keep the institution abreast of the times. There could be no disputing the utility or popularity of the library. The number of books taken out amply demonstrated both points.

In view of the new power plant at Jordan river the street lighting estimates were left over. They had been based upon last year's expenditure, and of course with the new plant in operation and the city purchasing power from the B. C. Electric, the comparison will not apply. It was Mayor Morley who reminded the council of this fact in answer to the suggestion that a foreman of construction should be appointed to relieve the city electrician of some of the work of the department, which was becoming congested through the development of the cluster lighting installation. The department asked for \$14,240 for maintenance and \$6,700 for construction. Under the new scheme of lighting Mayor Morley pointed out that Mr. Hutchinson's duties would be appreciably reduced.

The sum of \$7,250 for the maintenance of the House for the Aged and Infirm was passed.

Under the head of miscellaneous the following items were passed: Stationery, \$2,000; postage, \$750; telegrams and messenger service, \$400; telephone service, \$2,000; fuel and light, \$1,250; hacks and express, \$250; fire insurance, \$1,500; refunds, \$250; "charitable" aid fund, \$2,500; aged and infirm women, \$2,500; commission on revenue collection, \$800; secret service, \$250; Vic-



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torial Day celebration fund, \$2,000; tax sale costs, \$500.

In connection with the Coronation Day grant one or two members of the council expressed the view that a definite sum should be set aside with the Victoria Day grant as a general celebration fund.

Mayor Morley pointed out that that course would lead to confusion when the first party came along for its share. Ald. H. M. Fullerton thought that \$2,000 should be given the ladies who are arranging for the Coronation Day festival in the city.

Ald. Langley favored the general celebration fund idea.

Ultimately it was resolved to wait until the ladies came before them with their proposition. The celebration was more than a civic one; it was a provincial one, said the mayor.

A grant of \$5,000 for the Agricultural Association was advocated by Ald. N. M. Fullerton, who indicated that the show, in a sense, was a provincial one. He reminded the council that Vancouver gave \$12,000 to the fair there.

The question, however, was left over, as also was the grant proposed to be given to the Vancouver Island Development League.

In this matter Ald. H. M. Fullerton urged the city to be generous. It was well-known that the league had done and was doing excellent work.

Ald. Gleason, however, thought the city should move rather slowly in the matter of making grants. It was possible that the city would be called upon to make heavy expenditures because of inferior local improvements on several streets. They also had the expenses of the last election to contend with. Even now the city had from \$20,000 to \$30,000 more than contemplated to be paid for the high school site at Spring Ridge.

It was decided to take up the question of these grants at Tuesday's meeting.

The estimates in their preliminary form made no provision for the proposed increase in salary for the mayor and aldermen.

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Says the New York Evening World of the 30th January last, of and concerning the regnant star of the violinists' world, who is to be heard in this city on the evening of April 20, under the auspices and guarantee of the Victoria Musical Society:

"Mischa Elman gave another exhibition at Carnegie hall on Saturday afternoon of his dazzling skill as a violinist. That now he must be accounted a very great artist and musician is indisputable. He has abandoned his youthful arrogance and his playing to the galleries and is becoming respectful and serious. The principal numbers on his programme were Bruch's second concerto in D minor, Handel's sonata in D major and the Goldmark suite for piano and violin, in which his accompanist, Percy Kahn, took part. Five hundred people were turned away from the box office, and it was decided at once that he should give another recital at Carnegie hall two weeks from today. To keep the engagement he must make a rush trip to St. Louis and back again."

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Hundred Miles With-  
out a Stop

Issy Les Moulins, France, April 13.  
—Pierre Prier, who left London, Eng.,  
in a monoplane, arrived here at 5:45  
p. m., having made the trip of about  
290 miles without a stop.

Prier left London on his flight to  
suburbs of Paris at 1:37 o'clock.  
Above the English soil the Airman  
found fog and squalls and going high-  
er and higher in an endeavor to ob-  
tain better weather, crossed the Eng-  
lish channel near Dover at a height of  
more than 2,200 feet. Leaving the  
channel, Prier encountered fine weather  
until he reached Beauvais, 54 miles  
from Paris, and from that city the  
voyage was made through a haze.  
Prier was wildly cheered by a dense  
throng as he stepped out of his ma-  
chine after alighting on the Issy  
aviation field.

The monoplane used by the aviator  
was the historic machine with which  
Alfred Le Blanc, the French aviator,  
won the \$20,000 prize by finishing first  
in the great cross country race of  
488 miles on a circuit at Paris last  
summer.

Hendon is six miles from the centre  
of London. Yesterday's flight of Prier  
was the first attempt of an aviator to  
fly from the British capital to Paris.  
A flight from the French capital to  
London was achieved by the late John  
B. Moisant who carried a passenger.  
However it took Moisant 12 days to  
accomplish the journey. Prier is a  
newcomer in international aviation  
circles. His accomplishment in flying  
from the outskirts of London to the  
suburbs of Paris places him in the  
ranks of the foremost aviators. The  
best previous cross country flight was  
made by Lieut. Cameron, who covered  
147 miles in four hours and two min-  
utes in France.

## BUILDING STEAMERS FOR LAKE LABARGE

Will Be Used by Survey Parties  
to Carry Supplies to the  
Porcupine

Dawson, Y. T., April 13.—Arrivals  
from White Horse report that 800 tons  
of freight is now crossing Lake La-  
barge and making excellent progress.  
The prolonged cold, reaching 20 degrees  
below zero every night, is favorable  
for the completion of the work in good  
time. Most of the entire lot is going to  
Fairbanks and Iditarod on the first  
boat.

The Canadian-American boundary  
survey is building two small stern  
wheelers for Lake Labarge to convey  
its supplies to the Porcupine river. A  
steamer with a load of cattle from  
Yukon Crossing for the lower Yukon  
camps and Dawson will leave as soon  
as the river breaks. It will be the first  
boat in commission on the Yukon this  
year. It will be probably four weeks  
before it can start.

### WILL RECOVER LOST MONEY.

Walla Walla, Wash., April 13.—Twelve  
hundred dollars was received Saturday  
by John Sharpstein from J. K. Edmonston,  
former president of the Walla Walla Sav-  
ings bank, for years a fugitive from jus-  
tice, but recently pardoned by Governor  
M. E. Hay. Accompanying the money  
was a list of five depositors to whom the  
money was to be paid. Another list, con-  
taining names of men who were to be  
paid if they could be found, was sent.  
Sharpstein, who will receive the lost money  
if they make their whereabouts known  
are: R. Woodruff, J. Ross, A. F. Coffey,  
Thomas J. Mann, Henrietta Smith, Geo.  
F. Spencer, Thomas Daly and S. Hazel-  
hurst.

### ACCUSED OF MURDER.

Goderich, April 13.—Edward Jardine,  
charged with the murder of 15-year-old  
Lizzie Anderson, whose body was found  
in the basement of a house at 1000, on  
Sept. 20, 1910, four days after her dis-  
appearance from her father's home, is now  
fighting for his life before a jury.

Notwithstanding the stories that the  
prisoner had lost flesh and was worn to a  
shadow, he appeared in court today look-  
ing anything but the invalid. He sat in  
the box this morning, calmly chewing gum  
and stolidly gazing at the crowd which  
sat around him. It took only 30 minutes  
to inspect a jury. Jardine pleaded "not  
guilty." Mr. Blackstock for the crown  
gave a recital of the facts of the case.

### GOLDFIELD HOTEL, BURNED.

Goldfield, Nev., April 13.—The Mer-  
chants' Hotel, a landmark of the city,  
was destroyed by fire early yesterday. It  
was the home of many miners during the  
mining boom several years ago, and the  
resort of gamblers playing for stakes.  
On one occasion not less than \$100,000  
is said to have changed hands during a six  
hours' session of play. The structure  
was owned by George Wingfield, and the  
loss is about \$25,000.

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## SPECTATORS HOOT ENGLISH JUDGE

Disorderly Scene Marks the  
Close of Exeter Elec-  
tion Case

London, April 13.—The unusual oc-  
currence of the high court being hooted  
happened at Exeter at the conclu-  
sion of the election case. The Liberals  
conceived the idea that the judge was  
biased, and St. Maur, the Liberal  
member who was turned out by the  
judgment, said that the country should  
be rid of unjust judges.  
Judge Ridley rose in his seat and  
tapped him upon the shoulder, saying  
that he had no right to refer to him  
so. St. Maur replied hotly, and there  
was brief, wordy interview. The crowd  
followed the judge to the door, giving  
vent to their feelings by hooting and  
jeering at the judge.

### STOWAWAY ON WHALER.

San Francisco, Cal., April 13.—As the  
whaler Letitia was about to sail yester-  
day for a prolonged whaling cruise, the  
police boarded her and found Gavin  
Dolan, a 12-year-old boy who has been  
missing since Saturday. The police de-  
partment was informed yesterday by a  
friend of the boy's family. Knowing that  
the Letitia was about to sail the detec-  
tives decided that the boy must be aboard  
and searched the vessel, finding young  
Dolan concealed in the hold. The boy  
has been turned over to his parents.

### HEROISM REWARDED.

New York, April 13.—The heroism of  
Orlavus Juve and John J. McClynn, who  
risked their lives to save fifty of their  
fellows while working on the Queens-  
borough bridge in 1907, were rewarded by  
the appellate division of the Supreme  
court by the award of \$20,000 damages to  
each against the Pennsylvania Steel Com-  
pany.

They were placing in position some  
large iron plates on the tower of the  
bridge. One of these slipped from its sup-  
ports and would have fallen in the midst  
of the fifty men working below if Juve  
and McClynn had not deflected it. In so  
doing their hands were crushed, costing  
them their usefulness in a trade at which  
they had earned from \$20 to \$40 a week.

### MILLION IN CARPET.

New York, April 13.—Five hundred miles  
of carpet will be shipped to-day from this  
city to San Francisco by a special train  
of sixty cars. The shipment weighs 1,500,  
000 pounds and is worth \$1,600,000, and is  
the largest and most valuable single ship-  
ment ever made. Its manufacture re-  
quired the work of 8,000 workers for eight  
days, equivalent to one day's work for  
94,000 operatives. It would cover a single  
width strip from New York to Buffalo,  
thence to Niagara Falls and lap well over  
into Canada.

### SENTENCE COMMUTED.

London, April 13.—The sentence of death  
imposed March 15 last on Stille Morrison,  
who, after a sensational trial, was found  
guilty of the murder of Joseph Beron, was  
commuted yesterday to penal servitude  
for life.

The mutilated body of Beron was found  
on Chappin Common early in January.  
The police theory was that the victim was  
a member of the Houndditch burglar  
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The above rules are made for the benefit of readers of the Times, who insist upon the paper being delivered as early in the evening as possible.

## LAX SHIPPING LAWS.

The evidence given at the coroner's inquest touching the accident to the Iroquois reveals a laxity in the regulations governing the coastwise shipping of the province that is scarcely less than criminal in view of the advantage that appears to be taken of such laxity. The answer given by Captain A. A. Sears to the question put by a juror is astounding, whether it suggests simply the captain's ignorance of possibly existing rules, or the none existence of such necessary rules. We quote:

The foreman—"Then you could freight her down to the water without breaking any regulation?"

Witness—"Yes, I suppose. All the freight came from Victoria, and although our papers are lost the city duplicates can be obtained."

It is scarcely creditable that if regulations as to freighting are in existence Captain Sears would be ignorant of them. And yet, incredible as this may be, it is less difficult to believe that no regulations exist. If there are no hard and fast rules governing coastwise shipping in the matter of the freighting allowed, the responsibility for what happened to the Iroquois will have to be divided between those immediately responsible for possible overloading and those guilty of contributory negligence in the failure to establish safeguarding regulations. That is, assuming that overloading was a cause contributory to the accident. We have not before us a copy of the certificate of the license issued to the master of the Iroquois and are, therefore, unable to state whether there are limitations as to freighting written formally in the license, as is the case in the number of passengers carried and the safety equipment required by the law, but the predicament created by the circumstances make it exceedingly awkward for someone.

The Times is in no way seeking to intrude upon the prerogatives of those who may be called upon to go thoroughly into the case after the preliminary investigations, now in progress, are over. We are aware that it is always easy to be wise after a catastrophe has happened; if we are not wise then, we shall never be made wise. And it is the duty of those who may be in a position to shed light on the whole situation to do so, in order that every fact may be brought into evidence and its bearing on the particular incident may be decided.

Acting on this suggestion, the Times has been placed in possession of a diagram, prepared by a skilled shipwright, which, when viewed in the light of the evidence of the captain of the foundered steamer, may assist materially in discovering defects in the regulations or else a violation of those existing.

The diagram shows how the Iroquois, carrying the load which it is admitted was aboard, would be helpless in the face of rollers which would strike her at some angle which she must face with such an experience as terminated her career. It shows, also, the centre of gravity, as determined by the draft of the ship and the estimated ballast she carried, and, it shows the location and weight of the cargo.

The diagram gives the weight of the deck hatch at 2½ tons; the miscellaneous cargo, estimated at 30 tons; iron 2½ tons, and the weight of the house works amidships at 10 tons. The weight of the after house is estimated at 20 tons and the weight of the coal in the bunkers is figured at 12 tons. The last weight is estimated from the knowledge of the loading periods of the steamer, the consumption of fuel and the amount that would be unused at the time of the wreck. All the weight sixty-five tons, not including the weight of the upper half of the boiler and engine, above the water line several feet, and so located as to define the centre of gravity at a line which

leaves, approximately, five-sixths of the ship on the top-heavy elevation. Against this is a draft of six feet and three inches, together with a part of the weight of the coal in the bunkers. It is alleged that, excepting for the coal and the weight of the bilge and machinery below the water line, the ship was unballasted.

The Times gives these statements for what they are worth, but with every confidence in its informant. Should they be found to be in error, this paper will be the first to correct any wrong impression that may be created by the publication of what may only appear to be facts. But, if they are facts even a lay mind can conclude why such a ship would turn turtle in an uneven sea.

The object of the Times in stating the matter in what must appear almost a brutal array of incidentals, is not to fix the blame for the conditions which are alleged to have existed. That is a matter for properly constituted courts to decide, and, until such decision is made, this paper has nothing more to do with the case. But it must be apparent that, if these conditions prevail in the case of one steamer, they do with respect to others. It is one of the characteristics of human nature at large to look upon every outlook optimistically and repeated accidents and horrifying loss of life go unheeded by the public as a whole. This is because they have formed the habit of entrusting their safety to those who regulate and those who ply the means of transportation. They are in no sense qualified to judge of the safety of public utilities, and they commit themselves to such, wholly because they believe in the responsibility of those in charge and the effectiveness of the regulations controlling them.

As the Times said on Monday, it is too late now to recall those whose lives were hurried out of the earth by the Iroquois disaster, but it is a remarkable comment on the existing traits of those in authority that such sacrifices of human life must be made, again and yet again, before measures are made effective for their prevention. Following the Sechart disaster, also almost an island water tragedy, far removed from the perils incident to the deep, this last melancholy event should set on fire the resolution to make navigation as safe from danger as any of the other methods of travel.

## HEROISM OF RESCUERS.

The movement now on foot to make presentation of some suitable memorial to those who acted so heroically in the work of the rescue of the survivors of the Iroquois is one which will meet with general commendation. Reference has been made to the daring and skill with which these several persons threw their whole energy into reducing the number of fatalities incident to the disaster. The two or more Indians who were so indefatigable in their efforts to save the survivors are deserving of some testimonial of the appreciation of their work as well as the other residents of the Saanich district who put their launches into commission to aid the distressed. We do not mention names lest we should omit someone deserving of the honor due them. The promoters of the testimonial will be best able to decide who are worthy to receive the commendation. It is just possible that the medal of the Royal Humane society may be available for the Indians, and perhaps the others. We believe that if this should prove to be the case, some such memento would be more appreciated than a monetary reward. A lasting tribute of this kind could be handed down to children's children and, without wishing to do more than suggest such a souvenir of a sad event, the Times hopes that whatever is chosen the occasion of the presentation will be made worthy of the heroism which characterized the deeds.

## STRIKE SETTLEMENT.

The announcement that the Minister of Labor has issued an ultimatum to the striking coal miners and the operators in the Crows Nest Pass, fixing the limit of the patience of the government at the unsettled conditions in that coal-producing area, will be received with satisfaction by the general public. According to the announcement, the contending parties are given until to-day to ask for arbitration under the provisions of the Lemieux Act. Should they fail to do so, the Minister announces the determination of the government to proceed with an investigation.

This demonstration should silence the croakers who declaim against the Act, and the government as well because a strike has been declared in contravention of the Lemieux Act, and who have intimated the advisability of the repeal of the statute. It shows the determination of the government to take every legitimate means to settle a dispute which is costly to both parties, and which, if prolonged, may result in inconvenience to the country and the demoralization of business.

The peculiarity of the situation lies in the repeated announcement that both parties are willing, and even anxious, for such arbitration. Neither party, however, has so far asked for it, but the way has been opened by

this announcement for the government to take the matter in hand without apparent interference.

We do not believe that either of the belligerent parties is in a fighting mood, but rather that both will welcome investigation. The initial movement being made by the government will permit of both sides presenting their cases without prejudice. The Times does not agree with the sentiment that request for arbitration by either of the disputing parties would be evidence of weakness. It rather holds to the opinion that such request would be an evidence of confidence in the issue, but, apparently, the mining populace thinks differently.

Whether, therefore, the contending parties act or refrain, a prospect of thorough investigation, with the hopes of all that should follow, is now in sight and the government will be commended for its decisive attitude respecting the dispute.

## JUST POLITICS.

The Colonist this morning plants eleven inches of shoe leather, including the foot, squarely in the centre of something that splashes. It claims to have held the consistent position that we "had only to bide our time to see the tariff in the United States so reduced that we could derive all the advantages possible from a reciprocity agreement without having to grant any concessions to obtain them." It then plumes itself on the "correctness" of this forecast by the fact that the House of Representatives at Washington is proposing to extend the free list much further than has been done by the reciprocity agreement. Just at this point, however, some subtle instinct warned the morning scribe that the air sniffed boggy and the learned reader of the political horoscope goes on to say: "We recognize that any reduction in the tariff will have to run the gauntlet of the senate, in which there is yet a Republican majority, not to speak of the Presidential veto, which may be exercised," etc. So now we will box the compass. The United States is overwhelmingly in favor of free trade with Canada. The House of Representatives is throwing things at Canada so fast that it cannot dodge them. If Canada had only waited a little longer she would have got all and more than she wanted or could use, and, for nothing (an American "get-rich-quick" scheme. But the senate may not see it that way, and, even if it should, the President still has the veto power, and if he were to think the Democrats were travelling too fast he might veto all of these complicated, vexing, but purely political possibilities.

The Times regrets that its ways are so devious and dark that the Colonist cannot find its way through them; in which respect the ways of the Colonist are so different that one doesn't need a light to see through them. They are so full of holes. We think that to join the people who are just playing the game of politics is "poor business."

No paper to-morrow. Public holiday.

The Colonist reiterates its wise prediction, based on the Democratic Congressional programme, that Canada might have had all the advantages of the trade agreement without any of its disadvantages. Not all of them, neighbor, not all of them, even granting that the United States free list as proposed by the Democrats should be adopted. There is the advantage of a substantial reduction of taxation to the consumers of Canada, which it is not in the power of Congress to grant. We have yet to be shown, and the taxpayers of Canada have also to be shown, that there is any disadvantage in foregoing the payment

of a tax of between three and four millions of dollars. In these days when there is a disposition on the part of most municipalities (including that of Victoria) and of all institutions having the power to increase the burdens of the people, it is positively a relief to realize that there is a prospect of relief from taxation in one direction. We shall have no reason to complain should Congress come to the relief of the American people by abolishing the import duties on a large list of Canadian goods. But is that any reason why we should continue to tax ourselves unnecessarily?

The Dawson News beseeches all British Columbians to encourage a much talked of highway from Hazelton to the gold city. Such a road, that paper says, would be of benefit, not alone to Dawson and the Yukon generally, but would divert all the Yukon trade through British Columbia. Ambition has risen as high up north as to propose a Yukon boulevard to Whitehorse so that automobiles and other fancy vehicles could make the trip in much less time than the present means of communication permit. The news favors this route in preference to one proposed to tidewater at Haines. The Dawson people welcome the assistance of the Pacific Highway Association which has its headquarters in this city and believes that, with the advocacy of the claims of the country at Ottawa by Mr. Congdon, the good offices of the Dominion government may be enlisted to assist the project. We feel sure that any movement which promises to open up what the News calls "the bread-basket of Victoria and Vancouver," will meet with the hearty support of the south.

The Colonist admits lack of perspicacity, with the usual qualification of course. There's an "if" in the case. To follow the Times, etc., would be like endeavoring to find one's way through the catacombs "without a light or even a line to indicate the way." Would our "esteemed contemporary" be very much surprised "if" it were informed that there are real people alive who can do even that?

## SERVICES IN CHURCHES ON GOOD FRIDAY

Special Arrangements Which Have Been Made for To-morrow and Sunday

There will be divine service in the Metropolitan Methodist church to-morrow (Good Friday) at 11 a. m. The pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling, will conduct the service and deliver an address.

To-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock there will be a special musical service at St. Barnabas' church, when "The Passion of Jesus," written by the Bishop of Exeter and set to music by Dr. Vincent, will be sung; also "The Story of the Cross," and suitable hymns. Copies of the words will be provided for the congregation.

A united communion service will be held to-night at 8 o'clock in the Church of Our Lord, in remembrance of the institution of the Lord's Supper, on the night before the crucifixion. Rev. T. W. Gladstone will give a brief address. Christians of all denominations are invited. There will be a Good Friday service in the Church of Our Lord at 11 a. m.

To-morrow the following services will be held: Ante-Communion with reading at 9 a. m. Mthms and address at 11 a. m. The three hours devotion, addresses by the rector, 12 m. to 3 p. m., and at 7 p. m. there will be a special musical service and sermon by the rector, when "The Passion of Jesus," written by the Bishop of Exeter and set to music by Dr. Vincent, will be sung; also "The Story of the Cross," and suitable hymns, copies of which will be provided for the congregation.

The Easter celebration of "The Holy Communion" will be held in Pemberton Memorial Chapel, Royal Jubilee hospital, at 7:45 a. m. Sunday morning, so that friends may be able to attend the other Easter day services in the city churches.

To-morrow being Good Friday and next Monday being Easter Monday, the city library will be closed as usual, both book departments and reading rooms.

CITY'S BANK ACCOUNT.  
Figures Showing Dealings With B. N. A. Bank For Three Months.

A cash statement showing the city's financial operations with the Bank of British North America for the first three months of the year has been submitted to the council by Comptroller Raymur. It gives the following figures:

Advances: annual loan by-law, 1911, \$190,000; construction account, local improvement, \$1,144,309.73. Total—\$1,334,309.73.

Balances: Sinking funds, general purpose, \$443,886.10; sinking funds, local improvement, \$234,293.76; loans public works balances, \$286,326.72. Total—\$964,496.58.

—Tuesday, May 9, has been definitely fixed for the inaugural ball to open the Alexandra club.

—Members of the Woman's Auxiliary P. R. Jubilee hospital, and other friends are asked to remember the hospital at Easter tide, with gifts of plants and flowers. The Daughters of Elty ask for gifts of daffodils, wild lilacs, primroses and greenery to beautify the chapel, and will gratefully receive the same in the workroom under the Pemberton chapel to-morrow or Saturday

## Easter Showings in All Departments

## Easter Display of Effective Models in Women's Tailored Suits

The collection of Women's High Class Tailored Suits that are represented in our Easter showing is complete, featuring every desired model. The fabrics are of the best serges, Panamas, tweeds and novelty suitings. Coats are in the semi-fitted short effects and lined throughout. Some are less strictly tailored, showing the sailor or long shawl collar, deep revers and two or three-button fastenings of fancy silk frogs or large novelty buttons, and are effectively trimmed with braid. Skirts cut on the narrow straight lines. Prices range from \$19.50 to \$50.00

## Distinctive Styles Featured in the New Satin Coats for Women

SATIN COATS, in three-quarter and full length models, in straight loose fitting effects. Sleeves finished with broad cuffs, many are shown with the broad collars and long revers, handsomely trimmed in Paisley or braids. Finished with heavy braid ornaments or buttons. Prices range from \$35 to \$57.50

## Recent Arrivals in Afternoon and Evening Gowns

CHARMING MODELS IN WOMEN'S AFTERNOON AND EVENING GOWNS, developed in accordance with the latest fashion tendencies from Silks, Crepes, Satins, Taffetas, Fine Serges and Foulards, in striped, checked, dotted or plain effects in all colors. A large number of these exhibit the fashionable long straight lines and raised waist line which allows the skirt to drape gracefully. Many of the waists show the peasant or draped sleeves. Prices range from \$50 to \$18.50

## Showing of Easter Hand Bags

THE HAREM BAG is the latest Parisian novelty. Made of solid leather, suede finished, brass or gunmetal frames, and are hung on a long heavy silk cord of corresponding color. The bags come in a large assortment of colors to match gowns of all the season's shades. Each, \$1.25

SUEDE BAGS, well fitted, large size. Colors, grey, green, black, tan, brown \$2.50

BLACK VELVET BAGS, mounted on fancy frame, and is daintily lined with colors. The bag is hung on a long cord and is the smartest style of the season. \$2.50

## Gloves for Easter Wear

PERRIN'S "MARCHIONESS" GLACE KID GLOVES, in navy, brown, tan, slate, beaver, green, mode, white and black, 2 clasp .....\$1.00

TREFOUSSE DOROTHY GLACE KID GLOVES, in navy, brown, tan, slate, beaver, mode, mauve, wine, ashes of roses, new green, black and white. Self and fancy points; 2 clasp.....\$1.50

TREFOUSSE DELORINE SUEDE GLOVES, in slate, tan, white and brown. Price .....\$1.50

JOUVIN SUEDE GLOVES, 2 clasp; black and slate .....\$1.50

DENT'S WASHABLE KID GLOVES, in pale shades, pastels, greys and white. Being able to successfully wash this glove is of special advantage in the easily soiled shades .....\$1.25

## Easter Clothing for the Little Man

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—Remember the B. Williams & Co.'s going out of business sale of high class clothing, hats and furnishings opened this morning at 9.30. Read price list on page 8.

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## LOCAL NEWS

—Do not forget that you can get an express or truck at any hour you may wish. Always keep your checks until you have seen us, as we will save you the 10c on each trunk you have to pay to baggage agents on trains and boats. We will check your baggage from your hotel or residence, also store it. See us before you make your arrangements. We guarantee to satisfy everyone on price and the way we handle your goods. We consider it a favor if you will report any overcharges or indignities to the part of our help.  
Pacific Transfer Company.  
Phone 249, 59 Fort St.

—S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty, phone Inspector Russell, No. 1921.

—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, over Terry's Drug Store, Douglas St.

—You can deposit your money at 4 per cent. interest with The B. C. Permanent Loan Company and be able to withdraw the total amount or any portion thereof without notice. Cheques are supplied to each depositor. Paid up capital over \$1,000,000, assets over \$1,000,000. Branch office, 1210 Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

—Going on a Picnic Friday?—Picnic baskets, 25c, 30c, 35c, 45c; picnic plates, 10c doz.; picnic billies or tea pots, 50c to \$1.25; can opener, 10c; cork screws, 20c. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas Street.

—Lucas and Sweeney will be pleased to look after their guests in first class style at the Strathcona hotel, Shawnigan Lake, the ideal summer resort.

—On Sunday evening next a concert will be given at the Empress hotel, the orchestra being specially augmented for the occasion.

—The greatest opportunity the people of Victoria have ever had to buy brand new, high class spring and summer clothing, hats and furnishings at about half their real value, is that which now presents itself at the B. Williams & Co.'s "going out of business sale," which opened at 9.30 this morning at 614 Yates street. The store has been leased to J. N. Harvey, Ltd., who will take possession May 1st. The sale hours will be 9.30 a.m. to 1 o'clock, and 2.15 to 6 o'clock, and the evenings 7.15 to 10 o'clock. The store will be closed all day Friday (Good Friday). Read large advertisement and price list page 9.

—The appeal of Frank Perry, against a conviction and fine of \$15 for supplying short measurement wood to J. J. Murrah, will be heard April 24, the date having been set in supreme court chambers. R. C. Lowe represents the appellant.

—A trip will be made through the Lakelse and Kitumgallum valleys early next month by R. M. Winslow, provincial horticulturist, when he will distribute eight hundred apple trees to those settlers who will properly care for them. The varieties will be selected from those deemed most suitable for those localities. Mr. Winslow will hold public meetings, deliver lectures and give practical demonstrations in tree planting. These valleys are believed to be most suitable for fruit growing owing to there being no late frosts, and being adjacent to the Prince Rupert market.

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## CLOVER POINT SHOOT.

The Fifth Regiment will have a regimental shoot of the Clover Point range to-morrow, commencing at 9 a.m. No. 1 company is putting up \$35 to be shot for by the members of the company. Rifles are being issued at the Drill Hall by the caretakers on receipt of an order for same from a company officer.

—The Garrison Sergeants' Mess Dance Club will hold their monthly dance on Friday evening, April 21. This will be the closing dance of the season.

—Because of the absorption of the business of B. Williams & Co. by the J. N. Harvey Company, Ltd., of Van-



MISS GERTRUDE ELLIOTT

This distinguished actress (Mrs. J. Forbes Robertson), supported by a company of players who have won recognition in the country as well as on this continent, will appear at the Victoria Theatre this evening in "The Dawn of a To-morrow," a delightful play written by Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett.

couper, accounts owing to the former firm may be paid to Sidney S. Thompson, accountant, or to Mason & Mann, barristers, Langley street. Trading accounts may be forwarded to Mr. Thompson and will be discharged by him in due course.

—At a meeting of the police commissioners to be held next Tuesday A. J. Brice, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will present his proofs in respect to the charges made by him that men had been hired to make assaults upon women in order to show the necessity for the maintenance of a restricted district.

Brydall, Johnson, Cave, Corfield and Gilman.  
The meeting closed with cheers for the King and John Jardine.

**BAND CONCERT TO-NIGHT.**  
Fifth Regiment Band Will Be Assisted by Prominent Artists.

This evening the Fifth Regiment band, under Bandmaster Rogers, thirty-five pieces strong, will give the second of its popular promenade concerts in the Drill Hall. The band will meet on the corner of Douglas and Yates streets at 7:40 and play to the Drill Hall. A very fine programme has been prepared and those who were present last Thursday evening are not likely to miss this evening.

A large attendance at this series of concerts is a matter which all friends of the band should endeavor to secure. Anything that has been made from previous concerts over expenses has gone towards the purchase of instruments and music, and the other many items of expenditure incidental to the maintenance of a first-class military band. Any surplus from the present series will be divided among the bandmen, this being the first time they have had an opportunity of securing any monetary return for the time they spend in giving pleasure to others. The programme for this concert is as follows:

March—"Tartare".....Mr. Turner.  
Vocal Solo.....Mr. Turner.  
Overture—"Le Roi D'Yvetot".....Adam.  
Vocal solo.....Mrs. Edward Parsons.  
Serenade—"Love in Idleness".....Macbeth.  
Ventriloquism.....Mr. Harley.  
Selection—"Madame Sherry" (request)  
.....Mrs. Edward Parsons.  
Duet.....Misses Palmer.  
Grand Selection—"Carmen".....Bliss.  
Vocal solo.....Mr. Jarvis.  
Mazurka—"Ecclesiast"—"La Gipsy".....Ganne.  
March—"Social Life".....Boehme.  
"God Save the King"  
Edward Parson will act as accompanist.

—English fishing tackle at the Victoria Sporting Goods Co.

## TORIES CHEER JOHN JARDINE

MEMBER FOR ESQUIMALT AT CONSERVATIVE RALLY

Was "Featured" at Meeting in Lampson Street School Last Evening

John Jardine, who last session definitely allied himself with the Conservative party as representing the district of Esquimalt, was a prominent figure at the annual meeting of the Esquimalt Conservative Association in the Lampson street school last evening.

Robert Anderson was in the chair, and noticing that Mr. Jardine was in the audience asked him to address the meeting. The latter did so, devoting much time to eulogizing the McBride government, his sentiments in this respect inciting the audience to vigorous applause. Mr. Jardine said the reason he was present was because he saw a notice that the meeting would be open to all bona-fide Conservatives.

Drawing attention to the petition which had been forwarded to the provincial government, through the Esquimalt Conservative Association, for works needed in the district, he said that he had been surprised to find that "these requests coincided with what he had advocated." This statement elicited applause.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Hon. president, Hon. Charles McBride; Hon. C. E. Pooley and H. D. Helmcken, K. C.; president, R. H. Pooley; vice-president, Edward Duncafe; secretary, J. R. Saunders; executive committee, Messrs. D. Tait, Bittancourt, Jall Day, Anderson, McKenzie, Thompson.

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BUFFET OLIVES (pits removed), bottle ..... 50c  
SPANISH QUEEN, large Olives, bottle, 90c, 75c, 65c, 50c or ..... 35c  
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# NEWS OF SPORT

## ISLANDERS AGAIN PILE UP BIG SCORE

Seattle B. and H. Defeated by  
13 to 1—Weather Too Cold  
for Fast Ball

Although almost entirely free from errors on Victoria's part the baseball game yesterday was slow, largely owing to the cold weather which has prevailed the last few days. The exhibition put up by the boys from Seattle could not be called anything else but "punk," and although the Islanders, with one exception, got everything that came their way and batted fairly well, there was no ginger in their play. The score was the same old thing, 13 to 1 in favor of the home team.

Thomas mounted the slab in the first inning and stuck it out until the sixth when he retired in order to give some of the other fellows a chance at the "easy pickings." Marshall, Parks, Sage and McCreery followed him in quick succession and off all these pitchers, there was not a hit made. The first no-hit game Victoria has played. Thomas was a little wild, but even at that still looks like the star of the local pitching staff. There is only one other, Lane, who can claim a position in the same class, and the latter if he keeps up the gait he has been going lately may even eclipse the southerner, when the league games commence.

Ten Million's youthful figure was missed out in left field, his place being taken by the stalwart collegerian, Clementson, who promises to do much better in the outer garden than he did on the infield. If Eddie can make some kind of a felder out of Clem he will come in very handy, for he certainly does wield a nice stick. Battling, if anything, is what the team is weak in, although yesterday's score card does show it. But then it must be remembered that there are better pitchers in the Northwest league than the Brown and Hulen's slabster.

Victoria got one run in the first inning, without making a hit. Davis walked. He has begun to think it is his privilege to do that every time he comes to bat and was quite offended when they forced him to hit the ball three times out of the six he came up. Ward sacrificed Davis to second, Goodman walked and Davis stole third. Householder went out on a long fly, on which Davis came in. Raymur was pegged at first.

The above would just do for a description of every inning in which the Islanders scored with the exception of the eleventh. The visitors were very slow in fielding, and once one of the Islanders got to first he had an easy time annexing second and very little trouble rounding to third. For instance, Ward was on first, Goodman on second and the pitcher threw the ball. The two base runners promptly advanced one sack and the catcher made no attempt to stop them.

In the eleventh inning, however, the two runs made by the Islanders were earned. Clementson, Manes, Roche and Lane made safe hits and Clementson and Roche kicked up the dust all the way round to the home plate.

The visitors made their one run in the fourth. Wigard walked to the initial sack, was sacrificed to second and reached home on Ward's throw to Goodman.

The weather was altogether too cold for good baseball and not one of the

players could be blamed for not displaying that vim and snap which was expected of him. As one of the American sporting writers puts it, a large junk of overdue weather has arrived and the playing of everyone of the Northwestern leaguers is suffering in consequence.

The detailed score was:

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Davis, c. f.	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ward, s. s.	4	1	1	1	2	1	0	0
Goodman, 3 b.	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Householder, r. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Raymur, 2 b.	5	0	0	2	1	1	0	0
Clementson, l. f.	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
Manes, 1 b.	5	2	2	1	0	0	0	0
Dashwood, c.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Roche, c.	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Homeway, c.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thomas, p.	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Marshall, p.	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Parks, c.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lane, c.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McCreery, c.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	28	13	9	27	12	2		

\*Starkell batted for Marshall.

\*Lane batted for Sage.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Wigard, l. f.	3	1	0	4	0	0	0	0
O'Neill, c. f.	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Scoven, 2 b.	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Graft (G.), l. b.	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Nealon, 3 b.	3	0	0	1	2	2	0	0
O'Donnell, r. f.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cunningham, c.	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Brown, s. s.	2	0	0	1	2	1	0	0
Graft (S.), p.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	28	1	0	21	13	7		

Score by Innings.

Victoria	1	3	1	5	1	0	0	2	0	13
B. & H.	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1

Summary.

Sacrifice hits—O'Neill, Ward, Raymur, Manes, Dashwood. Stolen bases—Davis, Roche, 1; Goodman, 2; Clementson, 1; Graft, 1; Thomas, 1. Hits—Off Graft, 5; off Victoria pitchers, 6. Left on bases—B. & H., 6; Victoria, 7. Struck out—By Graft, 2; by Thomas in five innings, 5; by McCreery in one inning, 1. Passed on balls—By Graft, 5; by Thomas, 2. Umpire, Eddie Gleason.

## RACE TRACK NEWS.

Twelve horses arrived yesterday from Oakland, among them Charles Green and Daddy Gilt, owned by George Thomas; and Tobey and Sir Wesley, owned by C. W. Chapelle.

Chris. Martin, a trainer and owner known all over America, arrived in town yesterday. Among others he is going to race Ada Meade, one of the fastest mares on the Coast, at the coming meet. Ada Meade has travelled the three-quarters in 1:12 1-5 and the mile in 1:30. Mr. Martin was at one time trainer for Raney, a millionaire race track man of New York, and while with him worked under a \$10,000 contract.

Two carloads of horses, 24 altogether, are expected from Seattle to-day.

## EXCITEMENT KILLS FAN.

Man Succumbs to Stroke of Apoplexy After Baseball Game.

New York, April 12.—The excitement of the opening game of the baseball season proved too much for Geo. M. Tremper, an enthusiastic fan, who had planned to attend the National League games here this season. He was stricken with apoplexy in his place in the crowded bleachers and was found sitting there unconscious by a policeman at the end of the game. He was taken to a nearby hospital and died shortly before midnight. The doctors say that the excitement of the game brought on the stroke of apoplexy.

So-called burglar-proof glass, made in France, withstands revolver bullets and blows from a mallet.

## "NEWSY" LALONDE TO PLAY WITH VANCOUVER

National's Mainstay and Dalton Phelan, of Cornwall, Join Jones' Team

Cornwall, Ont., April 12.—"Newsy" Lalonde, the Cornwall player who piloted the Nationals to the championship of the National Lacrosse Union last year, and Dalton Phelan, the mainstay of the Cornwall team, will play together this coming summer as members of the all-star aggregation that Con. Jones, of Vancouver, is gathering together to battle with New Westminster in the British Columbia League series for the Minto cup. Yesterday Lalonde and Phelan received telegrams from the Vancouver man taking the options which he held on their services, and they will leave for the west to-day on Saturday.

The Vancouver club had options on Lalonde and Phelan up to April 15, which were secured by Mr. Jones when he was down east last year. Lalonde starred with the Vancouver club two seasons ago, and he is a great favorite out here. "Dot" Phelan was the heart and soul of the Cornwall club last year, and critics here reckon him the superior of Lalonde or anybody else as a home player. He is not quite so big as Newsy, but has plenty of weight and is stockily built. He is said to be the fastest runner in the National Lacrosse Union.

Lalonde will, it is understood, captain the Vancouver team this coming season and play first home. Phelan will play third home.

## GOOD FRIDAY GAMES

Baseball.

University of Washington vs. Islanders at Royal Athletic park, 3 p. m.  
Victoria Japs vs. North Wards, Royal Athletic park. Immediately after professional game.

Victoria Capitals vs. Bankers at North Ward park, 10 a. m.

Football.

Old Country vs. Native Sons at North Ward park, 10 a. m.

Wards vs. West at North Ward park. Immediately after other game.

In the baseball game against the University of Washington Thomas will very probably pitch, as he is a twirler who needs plenty of work and Householder is bound to get him into condition for the opening league game. Practically the same team take the field as did yesterday.

The other baseball game at the Royal Athletic park should be very interesting, as the Japanese ball players are ambitious. They can field fairly well and but not badly but their pitcher—wow!

The Capitals will line up as follows: Catcher, Pike; pitcher, T. Townsley; 1st base, C. James; 2nd base, Irvine; 3rd base, R. Milne; short stop, R. Bray; right field, N. Croghan; centre field, R. Shields; and left field, G. White.

The Wards and Wests were going to play at the Hill, but owing to the fact that two of their men are also playing for the Native Sons they had to change both the place and the time. The Ward players are: Goal, Baines; fullbacks, Brown and Pike; halfbacks, Massey, Lane and Tunncliffe; forwards, Baker, Hodgson, Malbon, McIlmoyle, McGregor; reserve, C. Brown.

## SPORT NOTES

Frank Klaus, the Pittsburg middleweight, had a shade on Jimmy Gardner, of Lowell, Mass., in a six-round bout at Pittsburg Tuesday night. Gardner did some masterful boxing, and although his blows lacked force, they had sufficient steam to make Klaus careful. Klaus sent vicious blows at Gardner's head, and the Lowell lad either ducked or side-stepped. Both men gave a fine exhibition, but it is conceded that in a longer route Klaus would prove himself the master of Gardner. Neither was marked or distressed at the end of the bout.

The British Columbia Amateur Athletic Union has granted the Vancouver Athletic Club the privilege of holding the amateur boxing and wrestling championship for the province of British Columbia in their club on May 4 and 5. It is believed that it will be the best and most representative tournament ever held in the province. The club is giving a gold watch as first prize in each event, and a bronze medal as second. Any further information, entry forms or registration blanks may be had on application to R. Scragg, secretary, Vancouver.

Donaldson, of Victoria, Australia, defeated C. E. Holway, the American sprinter, by three yards in the world's 100-yard sprint championship, which was run at Bendigo, Victoria, yesterday. Donaldson's time was ten seconds flat.

The Nanaimo United Football Club at a meeting Tuesday night refused to agree to the switching of games scheduled for this week end proposed by Ladysmith, and will hold to the original schedule which brings the Calles to Nanaimo on Sunday next. For this game Nanaimo will be represented by the strongest team that has won the blue and white this season, the line-up being as follows: Goal, Shepherd; backs, Murray and Hewitt; half backs, Brown, White and Mossey; forwards, Sutherland, Adam, Sutherland, Hurren and Waddle; reserves, Lightfoot and Dyer; linesman, F. McCall. Referee, Wm. Lockhart. Ladysmith will play at Vancouver.

Oxford and Cambridge universities have decided, following a number of conferences, to decline the quasi-challenge of Harvard and Yale for an international "varsity" track meet at the Queen's club, in London, the coming summer. In consequence if there is to be any "varsity" track possessing an international flavor this year, it will

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come, not upon the track, but between the Oxford eight and the Harvard varsity eight, providing, of course, that Harvard defeats Yale in their annual crew race at New-London in June. Yale has no desire to go across to England this year, even though she should defeat Harvard, but the Harvard oarsmen, on the other hand, are most anxious to make the trip.

The annual foot race up the Mount Wilson trail, a distance of 7 1/2 miles to the summit, an altitude of about 6,000

feet, was won yesterday by L. C. Farley, Los Angeles, in 1 hour 24 minutes and 1 second. This was a new record, the best previous time having been made by Joseph (Soldier) King, three years ago, 1:35:30. There were thirteen entrants. A feature of the race was the

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Y. M. I. Too Fast for Opponents—Bob Whyte to Play at Duncan

In a fast and fairly clean game of basketball last night between the Y. M. I. and Y. M. C. A. quintettes at the Institute hall, the former won with a margin of six points. The score was 32 to 28.

Some really pretty combination was worked by both teams throughout the game, but the champions palisaded it on their opponents in speed and in accuracy. Bob Whyte, who played centre for Y. M. I., was a tower of strength, his ability to dodge and get away from his check being something extraordinary in a man of his weight. And at shooting he was the most reliable man on the floor. On one occasion, Bob made a long shot for the basket and just missed it. Not to be done out of his two points, however, he followed up quickly and leaping up almost on a level with the basket caught the ball as it rolled out and dropped it into the net, while still in the air. Another spectacular shot was made by Baker and one by Baker.

Y. M. I. are going to have an exceedingly hard time to beat when they go up against Duncan Saturday night, for Bob Whyte is almost as good as five men himself.

The teams last night were: Y. M. I.—Guards, Campbell (3) and Baker (9); centre, Whyte (14); forwards, McGregor (4) and Brown (4). Y. M. C. A.—Forwards, Baker (10) and Willscroft (6); centre, Petticrew (2); guards, McKeown (6) and Peden (2). Frank Sweeney refereed in a satisfactory manner.

The above Y. M. I. five are the same boys who will go to Duncan on Saturday night. Last night's game put the finishing touches on their condition, and the consensus of opinion is that if the villagers win they will have to go some. C. Nelson, principal of the Nainimo public school, has consented to referee.

### ABOUT BASEBALL

Everyone of the Islanders' three catchers were given a short workout behind the bat yesterday. Dashedwood caught for Thomas; Roche for Marshall, Sage and Parks; Hemenway for McCreery.

Talk about bone-headed plays. Yesterday's game was replete with them, the offenders being in every case, the visitors. The catcher threw to second on one occasion and neither second baseman nor short stop made a move towards the bag. Another time the pitcher got the ball on a rather poor punt and did not even make a motion to catch the man at first. He allowed the batter and the base runner to land on second and first, respectively, while a really fast man might have caught them both. "Bates during the game did the whole infield rush after a pop fly, and after clawing the air frantically let the ball fall to the ground in their midst.

A certain sporting writer has asked some good, kind fan to enlighten him on Victoria's line-up against Tacoma. Player-Manager Householder has announced the names of those he is going to use but this writer evidently doesn't think Eddie is in a position to judge. Either Thomas or Lane will pitch, and Dashedwood will catch. He, by the way, is the only catcher in the ball camp who can hold Thomas. Who else, by there to play first but Manes? Raymer, of course, will be stationed at second, for, although Reddick is fast, he is

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not quite as reliable as the old-timer. Ward will play at short for the simple reason that there is no one else to take the job. Keller will be laid up with a sore leg for some time yet. Goodman, as everyone knows, will hold down the third sack. As for the outfield Householder in right and Davis in centre are certain, but there is some slight doubt as to who will play in left. Ten Millip is on the sick list. He developed symptoms of tonsillitis the other day and the doctor was rushed to the sick bed as soon as it was discovered. The medical man, with a very grave face (he is a fan) said that the little fielder would probably be out of the game for a week, but if he took real good care of himself might be able to play next Tuesday. If he cannot the chances are Clementson will take his place.

The popular pilot of Portland's Northwestern league team is delighted with the prospects of his club and has practically decided on his regular players for the coming season. Four pitchers are certain. These are Jessie Garrett, Danny Sheeny, Fred Lamline and "Soldier" Frink. Manager Williams had hoped to have Pitcher Eddie Glenke, but the Adrian, Michigan club, with which team the Milwaukee had played last year, has "reneged" on an agreement with his club and it has recalled him by an appeal to the National association. Catchers Harris and Snooks will do the back stopping, while Williams, Casey, Mundorf and Menzor will form the regular Northwestern Roadster's infield. The outfield, however, is more of a problem to Williams than his pitching staff. He has Geo. Ort, Billy Speas, Jesse Stovall, Clarence Thompson, "Midget" Miller and Moran, all of whom are first-class outer gardeners, and the work of making the final selections will prove a hard task. The fact that his club is away from home most of the time, does not seem to dampen Williams' enthusiasm over the prospects of his team.

President George Shreeder of the Tacoma club has announced that he will try to put a proposition through the next league meeting to admit ladies free to all regular games, save those on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. Mr. Shreeder says if the other members object to his first plan he will try to arrange it so the feminine fans in Tacoma will not be challenged at the box office.

No players of striking ability were discovered by McGraw among the recruits who reported to him at Marlin Springs this year. A good judge of ball players who returned to New York with the Giants is authority for this statement. While all of the youngsters he declared, were above the average, there is no one who stands a chance of jostling a veteran out of a job.

Ever hear that Connie Mack always keeps score of the game? He is never without a score card on the Athletics' bench. He puts down every play as carefully as the men in the press box. Connie smiles and says he keeps score just for the fun of it, but Syd Smith, Nap catcher, who was the Athletics in 1908, knows different. Connie saves the score cards and files them in the club office. He has a better record of what his players did than any other manager. He not only records the game play by play, but sets down who hit in a pinch and who didn't. When a player asks for more money Connie



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Nick Williams, manager of the Portland Northwestern league team, is so enthusiastic over the prospects of his club and the manner in which his men are rounding into shape for the opening of the Northwestern league season at Spokane next Tuesday that he is

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willing to bet \$50 of his own money that his team will finish the season with a higher percentage of games won than does Walter McCredie's Coast league team. By this Williams does not mean to bet that his team will have a higher place than the Coast league Beavers, but merely that his club will have a greater percentage of games won, for he figures that the race in the Northwestern league will not be as close as it is in the Pacific Coast organization, and he figures

his club will be either first or second in the class B league.

Walter Johnson, the hold-out Washington pitcher of the American league, arrived in Washington yesterday. He will sign his contract some time to-day but will not be in trim to pitch for several days.

A German engineer has invented a sleigh that is drawn along by a motor-driven aerial propeller, placed in front.

### SWIMMING CLUB MEETING.

The fourth annual meeting of the Victoria Swimming Club will be held on Monday, April 24, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. Officers for the year will be elected and the prospects for the coming season discussed.

Nearly \$3,000,000 will be spent for the encouragement of agriculture by the Danish government this year.

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CITY COUNCIL TO LET LARGE CONTRACTS

List of Streets Which Will Be Improved During the Present Year

Wm. W. Northcott, purchasing agent for the corporation, is calling for tenders which will be received at his office up to 4 p. m. on Friday, April 28, for constructing approximately 600,000 square yards, or 36 miles, of asphalt pavement. Plans, specifications and forms of tender may be seen at his office.

The expenditure proposed in this work will total over one million dollars. Following is the engineer's list of streets included in the improvement scheme:

Trunk Roads.  
The following trunk roads will be improved with asphalt:  
Esquimalt road—Point Ellice bridge to city limits.  
Esquimalt road—Point Ellice bridge to Bridge street.  
Bay street—Bridge to Douglas.  
Government street—Bay to Fountain.  
Douglas street—Fountain to Pembroke.

Douglas street—Pembroke to Queen's.  
Douglas street—Queen's to Hillside.  
Douglas street—Hillside to Tolmie avenue.  
Yates street—Blanchard to Cook.  
Yates street—Cook to Fort.  
Hillside avenue to city limits.  
The section on Government street from Discovery to Bay, where the traffic is exceptionally heavy, will be paved with concrete.

General Street Scheme.  
Asphalt will be used on all the following streets:  
Belmont avenue—Fort to Pandora.  
Cook—May to Dallas.

Chapman—Cook to Linden.  
Dallas road—Beacon Hill to San Juan.  
Dallas road—San Juan to Simcoe.  
Sutlej—Vancouver to Cook.  
Cambridge—Dallas to May.  
Government—Belleville to Michigan.  
Harbinger—Richards to Fairfield.  
Craigflower road—Russell to Arm.  
Menzies—Belleville to Simcoe.  
McKenzie—Linden to Moss.  
Queen's—Cook to Quadra.  
Queen's—Quadra to Douglas.  
Wellington—Dallas road to May.  
Pendergast—Vancouver to Cook.  
Camosun—Pandora to Grant.  
Vancouver—Pembroke to Bay.  
Belcher—Oak Bay to Fort.  
Turner—Esquimalt to David.  
Edwards—Reserve to Russell.  
Pandora—Douglas to Vancouver.  
Dundas—Russell to Indian reserve.  
Burnside road—Douglas to Washington.  
Cornwall—Richardson to Fairfield.  
Oscar—Cook to Moss.  
Pembroke—Quadra to Chambers.  
Blanchard—Fort to Pandora.  
Howe—May to Dallas.  
Faithful—Cook to Moss.  
May—Cook to Moss.  
Moss—May to Dallas road.  
Morrison—Oak Bay to Fort.  
Broughton—Douglas to Blanchard.  
Johnson—Douglas to Cook.  
Haultain—Pembroke to Richmond.  
Ontario—St. Lawrence to Oswego.  
Finlayson—Quadra to Cook.  
Burdette and Quadra—Douglas to Quadra.  
Burdette and Quadra—Burdette to Blanchard.  
Oswego—Simcoe to Dallas.  
Oswego—Belleville to Simcoe.  
Quebec—St. John to Menzies.  
Superior—Government to St. Lawrence.  
McClure—Vancouver to Cook.  
Richardson—Vancouver to Cook.  
Collison—Vancouver to Trutch.  
Mears—Quadra to near Linden.  
Blanchard—Fort to Burdette.  
Blanchard—Pandora to Pembroke.  
Quadra—Blanchard to Hillside.  
Cormorant—Government to Blanchard.  
Fisguard—Government to Blanchard.  
Russell—Victoria harbor to Selkirk water.  
View street, to be extended from Broad to Government streets; will be paved with wood blocks.

## FRENCH RIOTERS

WELL ORGANIZED

Authorities Have Difficult Task in Wine Districts in France

Paris, April 13.—The storm raised by the vote in the senate Tuesday regarding the delimitation question regarding champagne districts, gave no sign of abating yesterday. On the contrary, there seems a probability of the disturbances spreading to the Bordeaux wine regions.

A serious agitation already has broken out in the Charente, Dordogne, Lot and Garonne departments, whose situation with respect to Gironde corresponds to that of Aube to Marne, and the president of the united unions of the Gironde winegrowers says the suppression of the territorial delimitations of the Bordeaux region would be followed by the gravest consequences.

The latest dispatches describe the situation as greatly aggravated. Mobs continue to burn and ravage the property of unpopular merchants, whom they accuse of importing grapes from Aube and other departments, from which they manufacture a wine designated as Marne champagne. The authorities are hurrying reinforcements of troops to the affected centre, but the movement of the winegrowers has been so skilfully organized that the destruction has been done and the rioters have gone before troops reach the scene.

The champagne question formed the subject of debate in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, and after listening to a statement by Premier Monis, the Chamber voted confidence in the government practically unanimously, so that the senate's resolution is not legally effective.

The premier has made his decision to refer the matter of modification of the delimitation law to the council of state. France's highest administrative court, which he said might be trusted to pronounce on this grave question with entire impartiality and independence of judgment.

Troops Charge Mobs.  
Châlons-sur-Marne, France, April 13.—The "champagne war" is likely to provoke dissensions in various sections of France, and has assumed serious aspects.

Wine presses and wine cellars in several towns have been demolished and hundreds of thousands of bottles of champagne destroyed.

At Ventuelli the rioters destroyed several large wine presses, and the troops were forced to charge with fixed bayonets before the mob could be dispersed.

Many of the wine manifestants succeeded in reaching Epernay in small groups. There the squad bands reformed and sacked several depots of champagne. Troopers charged the rioters with drawn sabres and several persons were wounded.

## WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office.

April 13th to 19th, 1911.  
Victoria—Bright sunshine, 30 hours; highest temperature, 55 on 8th; lowest, 31 on 8th; rain, .06 inch.

Vancouver—Highest temperature, 54 on 7th and 8th; lowest, 30 on 8th; rain, .45 inch.

New Westminster—Highest temperature, 55; lowest, 29; rain, .33 inch.

Kamloops—Highest temperature, 64 on 8th; lowest, 22 on 8th; no precipitation.

Barkerville—Highest temperature, 48 on 9th; lowest, 2 below zero on 8th; precipitation, .24 inch.

Prince Rupert—Highest temperature, 45 on 8th, 5th and 6th; lowest, 24 on 8th and 9th; rain, 1.54 inch.

Atlin—Highest temperature, 34 on 8th; lowest, 24 below zero on 11th; snow, .30 inch.

Dawson—Highest temperature, 32 on 8th; lowest, 14 below zero on 10th; snow, 2.20 inches.

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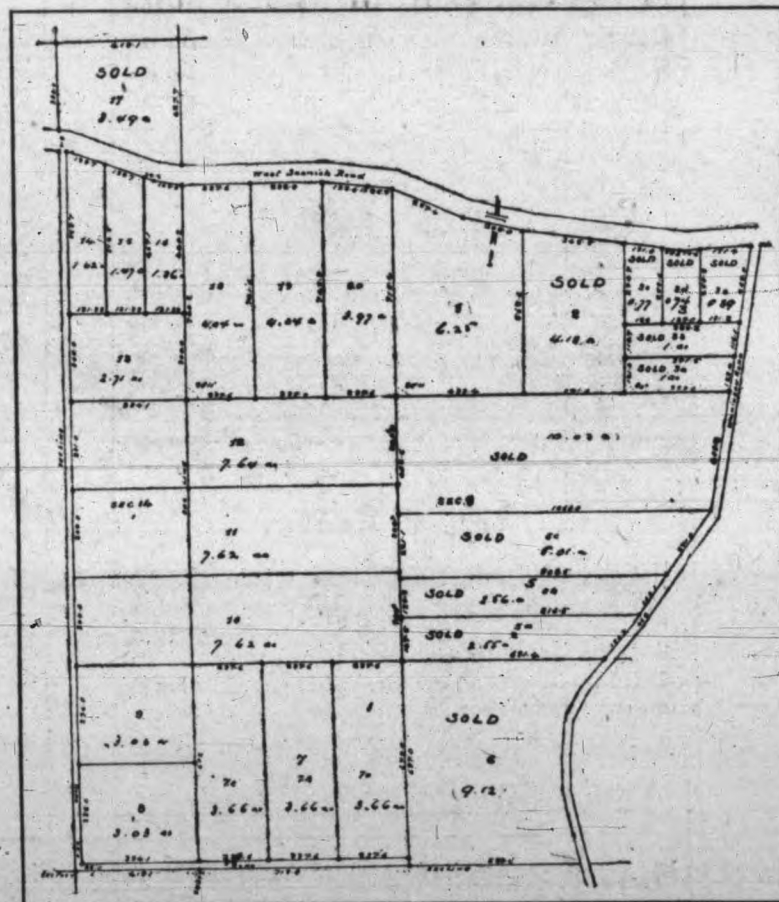
You can, of course, pay more for properties in other locations, but you can't get more for your money than that which Shoal Bay Park offers.

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# Floral Park

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# CLOTHING SALE

OPENED THIS MORNING AT 9.30

On account of having leased our store, No. 614 Yates St. to J. N. Harvey Co., Limited, we find it necessary to clear out our big stock of

Brand New High-Class Spring and Summer

Before  
May 1

## Clothing, Hats and Furnishings

Before  
May 1

This is a genuine sale. No reserve. The entire stock must go. The regular as well as the sale prices are marked in plain figures. You can see exactly what you are saving.

Read This Partial List of Prices. Act Promptly, It Will Pay You. Sale Opened To-Day, April 13th, at 9.30 A.M.

### A Special Line of Men's Suits

\$10.00 to \$12.00 Suits—Sale Price ..... \$4.95  
\$12.50 to \$15.00 Suits—Sale Price ..... \$7.95  
\$16.50 to \$18.00 Suits—Sale Price ..... \$9.85  
\$18.00 to \$22.50 Suits—Sale Price ..... \$11.45  
\$23.00 to \$25.00 Suits—Sale Price ..... \$13.50

### Men's Suits

Regular \$15.00—Sale Price ..... \$11.45  
Regular \$18.00—Sale Price ..... \$13.95  
Regular \$20.00—Sale Price ..... \$16.45  
Regular \$22.00—Sale Price ..... \$17.95  
Regular \$25.00—Sale Price ..... \$19.85  
Regular \$28.00—Sale Price ..... \$23.95  
Regular \$30.00—Sale Price ..... \$25.50  
Regular \$35.00—Sale Price ..... \$29.45

### Men's Pants

Regular \$2.00—Sale Price ..... \$1.45  
Regular \$2.50 to \$3.00—Sale Price ..... \$1.95  
Regular \$3.50 to \$3.75—Sale Price ..... \$2.65  
Regular \$4.00 to \$4.50—Sale Price ..... \$3.45  
Regular \$5.00 to \$5.50—Sale Price ..... \$3.95  
Regular \$6.00 to \$6.50—Sale Price ..... \$4.95  
Regular \$7.00 to \$8.00—Sale Price ..... \$5.65

Tweed Riding Breeches, Knickers  
Half Price to Clear  
Men's Fancy Vests at Half Reg. Prices

### Men's Overalls

Regular 65c—Sale Price ..... 50c  
Regular 75c—Sale Price ..... 65c  
Regular \$1.00—Sale Price ..... 85c  
Regular \$1.50—Sale Price ..... \$1.20

### Men's Raincoats

Regular \$8.50 to \$9.75—Sale Price ..... \$4.95  
Regular \$10.00 to \$12.00—Sale Price ..... \$6.95  
Regular \$13.50 to \$15.00—Sale Price ..... \$9.85  
Regular \$16.50 to \$18.00—Sale Price ..... \$12.75  
Regular \$20.00—Sale Price ..... \$15.00

### All Overcoats Reduced 20 to 50 Per Cent Off Regular Prices

We are sole agents in Victoria for certain lines of goods on which we are not allowed to reduce the prices. But we will give you a discount of 10 per cent. on all these lines.

### Men's Working Shirts

Regular 75c to \$1.00—Sale Price ..... 65c  
Regular \$1.25 to \$1.50—Sale Price ..... 95c  
Regular \$1.75 to \$2.00—Sale Price ..... \$1.45

### Men's Sweater Coats

Regular \$2.00 to \$2.50—Sale Price ..... \$1.65

### Soft Bosom Shirts

Regular \$1.00—Sale Price ..... 65c  
Regular \$1.25 to \$1.75—Sale Price ..... 95c  
Regular \$2.50—Sale Price ..... \$1.95

### Men's Outing Shirts

Regular \$1.00 to \$1.25—Sale Price ..... 65c  
Regular \$2.00 to \$2.50—Sale Price ..... \$1.65

### Underwear

Regular 50c Garments—Sale Price ..... 35c  
Regular 65c French Balbriggan—Sale Price 45c  
Regular 75c Garments—Sale Price ..... 55c  
Regular \$1.00 Garments—Sale Price ..... 65c  
Reg. \$1.25 to \$1.50 Garments—Sale Price 95c

### Ties

Regular 15c—Sale Price 3 for ..... 25c  
Regular 25c—Sale Price 3 for ..... 50c  
Regular 50c—Sale Price 3 for ..... \$1.00  
Regular 75c to \$1.00—Sale Price 2 for ..... \$1.00

This Sale Includes Every Article in the Store  
PRICES ALMOST CUT IN TWO

### Socks

Regular 15c pair—Sale Price 5 pairs for ..... 50c  
Regular 20c pair—Sale Price 4 pairs for ..... 50c  
Regular 25c pair—Sale Price 3 pairs for ..... 50c  
Regular 35c pair—Sale Price 5 pairs for ..... \$1.00

### A Special Lot of Men's Hats Almost Given Away

Not even Grevelle, Stetson, Christie, Hawes, Von Gal, or Empire Hats will be exempt from this slaughter, as the entire stock must be moved.

The people of Victoria are in luck in having a chance like this at the opening of the Spring Season.



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## OUTLOOK BRIGHT IN ATLIN COUNTRY

Quartz Mining on Greater  
Scale Than Ever to Be  
Inaugurated

Prince Rupert, April, 12.—Judge Young, who has just returned from one of his regular trips to the Atlin country, says there is unusual prosperity there this spring.

The Engineer group of mineral claims is about to be sold to a Mr. Smith of Philadelphia, who arrived in Atlin recently. This group is located at Tatu, and from present indications, will rival anything in British Columbia. Quartz mining on a greater scale is about to begin, and all told a great impetus will be given to mining generally. Eastern capital has become interested, and large coal areas have been discovered.

## BASEBALL GAMES ON OPENING DAY

Chicago and St. Louis Tie in  
an Eleven-Inning Game—  
World's Champions Lose

### National League

Chicago, April 13.—The National League baseball season was opened here yesterday by Chicago, with St. Louis as opponents, when Carter H. Harrison, mayor-elect, tossed the first ball into the diamond. Eleven innings were played. Score: R. H. E. Chicago..... 3 10 0 St. Louis..... 3 4 1

Batteries—Reulbach, Weaver and Kling; Salice and Bresnahan.

Cincinnati, O., April 12.—Pittsburg overwhelmed Cincinnati yesterday by 14 to 0, in the opening game of the season. Byrne's hitting was the feature of the game, he getting five hits

and a base on balls out of six times at bat. Score: R. H. E. Cincinnati..... 14 17 2 Pittsburgh..... 0 4 0

Batteries—Adams and Gibson; Fromme, Tannehill and McLean and Clark.

### American League

Washington, April 13.—For the second time in his term, President Taft to-day opened the American League baseball season here from his box in the new grandstand. He tossed the first ball to the pitcher, "Dollie" Gray, of the Washington team and saw Washington romp away from Boston in a very ragged game by a score of 8 to 5. Score: R. H. E. Washington..... 8 19 2 Boston..... 5 7 5

Batteries—Gray, Walker and Street; Wood, Karger and Kleinow; Madden, Umpires: Connolly and Mullen.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E. New York..... 2 7 3 Philadelphia..... 1 3 3

Batteries—Vaughn and Blair; Bender and Thomas. Umpires: Evans and Egan.

At St. Louis—R. H. E. St. Louis..... 12 16 1 Cleveland..... 2 7 3

Batteries—Powell and Clarke; Bandig, Yingling, Gregg and Smith. Umpires: O'Loughlin and Dineen.

### To-day's Games

Detroit, Mich., April 13.—Though the outfield has suffered somewhat from the rain of yesterday, Bennett park is in good condition and to-day's baseball game between Detroit and Chicago, marks the postponed opening of the American League season here. Mullen and Stange for Detroit and Walsh and Sullivan for Chicago are the battery choices of Managers Jennings and Duffy.

Baseball games scheduled for to-day:

National League—Philadelphia at New York, clear; Brooklyn at Boston, clear; Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, rain, game postponed; St. Louis at Chicago, clear.

American League—New York at Philadelphia, clear; Boston at Washington, clear; Chicago at Detroit, threatening; Cleveland at St. Louis, rain.

### NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, April 13.

Bid Asked

Amalg. Copper..... 62 63

Am. Agr. Chemical..... 57 58

Am. Beet Sugar..... 42 43

Am. Can., pref..... 89 90

Amn. Car. & Foundry.....	52 1/2	53 1/2
Amn. Cotton Oil.....	56 1/2	57 1/2
Amn. Ice Securities.....	23 1/2	24 1/2
Amn. Locomotive.....	37 1/2	38 1/2
Amn. Smelting.....	73 1/2	74 1/2
Amn. Sugar.....	118 1/2	119 1/2
Amn. Tel. & Tel.....	145 1/2	146 1/2
Amn. Tobacco, pref.....	95 1/2	96 1/2
Amn. Woolen.....	33 1/2	34 1/2
Anaconda.....	37 1/2	38 1/2
Atchafalpa.....	109 1/2	110 1/2
Do., pref.....	102 1/2	103 1/2
B. & O.....	105 1/2	106 1/2
B. R. T.....	77 1/2	78 1/2
C. P. R.....	25 1/2	26 1/2
Central Leather.....	86 1/2	87 1/2
C. & O.....	21 1/2	22 1/2
C. & G. W.....	40 1/2	41 1/2
Do., pref.....	120 1/2	121 1/2
C. M. & St. P.....	120 1/2	121 1/2
Do., pref.....	120 1/2	121 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron.....	38 1/2	39 1/2
Colo. & Southern.....	51 1/2	52 1/2
Con. Gas.....	143 1/2	144 1/2
D. & R. G.....	30 1/2	31 1/2
Do., pref.....	69 1/2	70 1/2
Erie.....	29 1/2	30 1/2
Do., 1st pref.....	67 1/2	68 1/2
Do., 2nd pref.....	27 1/2	28 1/2
Goldfield Cons.....	6 1/2	7 1/2
G. N. pref.....	129 1/2	130 1/2
G. N. Ore effs.....	61 1/2	62 1/2
Illinois Cent.....	128 1/2	129 1/2
Inter-Metro.....	19 1/2	20 1/2
Do., pref.....	52 1/2	53 1/2
Inter. Harvester.....	116 1/2	117 1/2
Kas. City Southern.....	23 1/2	24 1/2
L. & N.....	144 1/2	145 1/2
Mackay Co's.....	90 1/2	91 1/2
China.....	22 1/2	23 1/2
M. St. P. & S. S. M.....	107 1/2	108 1/2
Do., pref.....	148 1/2	149 1/2
M. K. & T.....	23 1/2	24 1/2
Mo. Pacific.....	89 1/2	90 1/2
Nat. Biscuit.....	126 1/2	127 1/2
Nat. Lead.....	53 1/2	54 1/2
Nat. Ry. of Mex., 1st pref.....	85 1/2	86 1/2
Do., 2nd pref.....	34 1/2	35 1/2
Nev. Cons.....	17 1/2	18 1/2
N. Y. C.....	106 1/2	107 1/2
N. Y. O. & W.....	41 1/2	42 1/2
N. & W.....	107 1/2	108 1/2
N. P.....	121 1/2	122 1/2
Pacific Mail.....	28 1/2	29 1/2
Pennsylvania.....	124 1/2	125 1/2
People's Gas.....	103 1/2	104 1/2
Pressed Steel Car.....	32 1/2	33 1/2
Railway Steel Sps.....	31 1/2	32 1/2
Reading.....	15 1/2	16 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel.....	31 1/2	32 1/2
Do., pref.....	95 1/2	96 1/2
Rock Island.....	29 1/2	30 1/2
Do., pref.....	112 1/2	113 1/2
S. F.....	114 1/2	115 1/2
Sou. Railway.....	26 1/2	27 1/2
Do., pref.....	61 1/2	62 1/2
Tenn. Copper.....	262 1/2	263 1/2
Texas Pacific.....	27 1/2	28 1/2
Trin. City.....	108 1/2	109 1/2
U. S. Steel.....	176 1/2	177 1/2
Do., pref.....	94 1/2	95 1/2
U. S. Rubber.....	41 1/2	42 1/2
Do., 1st pref.....	112 1/2	113 1/2
Do., 2nd pref.....	76 1/2	77 1/2
U. S. Steel.....	77 1/2	78 1/2
Do., pref.....	119 1/2	120 1/2
Utah Copper.....	43 1/2	44 1/2
Va. Car. Chem.....	61 1/2	62 1/2
Wabash.....	16 1/2	17 1/2
Do., pref.....	37 1/2	38 1/2
Western Union.....	72 1/2	73 1/2
Westinghouse.....	65 1/2	66 1/2
Wisconsin Central.....	67 1/2	68 1/2

### CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, April 13.

Open High Low Close

Wheat—

May..... 88 1/2 89 1/2 88 1/2 89

July..... 85 1/2 86 1/2 85 1/2 86

Sept..... 85 1/2 86 1/2 85 1/2 86

Corb—

May..... 49 49 49 49

July..... 50 50 50 50

Sept..... 51 51 51 51

Oats—

May..... 31 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2

July..... 31 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2

Sept..... 31 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2

Rye—

May..... 13 1/2 13 1/2 13 1/2 13 1/2

July..... 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2

Sept..... 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2

Lard—

May..... 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

July..... 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

Short Ribs—

May..... 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

July..... 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

# TOWN TALK! THE GREAT WRECK SALE

The news has spread from mouth to mouth and from house to house of the sensational and bewildering bargains that prevail at the Great Wreck Sale, 1419-1421 Douglas street. Hundreds and hundreds of prudent shoppers have purchased and purchased here and were all satisfied. Saturday the selling will be more exciting than ever.

COME WITH THE CROWDS—EXTRA SALESMEN WILL  
BE HERE TO SERVE YOU PROMPTLY

## Sensational Clothing Bargains

Men's Suits for business wear, suits that always  
sell for \$7.50 to \$10.00. Wreck price, \$3.95

Cheviot Suits like you have always bought at  
\$12.50; the same handsome patterns. \$4.85

Now..... \$4.85

Men's Suits in high grade, dark silk mixed  
Cheviots, dependably lined, splendidly tail-  
ored, best for business wear; regular price  
to \$16.50. Now..... \$6.95

\$18.00 Pure Silk and Worsted Suits, hundreds  
of them included, and money back for gar-  
ments returned. This sale..... \$8.95

Unfinished Worsted Suits, brown stripe grey  
suits that sell everywhere at \$20.00; regular  
price, \$20. Wreck price..... \$9.85

Silk Mixed Worsted Suits, perfectly tailored. It  
seems a pity to sell them so low; regular  
price, to \$22.50. At this sale you can get  
them at..... \$11.75

Suits, all colors, for best dress wear and those  
fashionable diagonal gray and brown effects,  
hand tailored. You might go in any store in  
British Columbia trying in vain to duplicate  
them under \$30.00. Our price..... \$14.85

## Hat Bargains

Soft and Stiff Hats, worth \$2.00. Sale  
price..... 85¢

Big Line of Hats, worth up to \$3.00. Sale  
price..... \$1.45

Men's Soft and Hard Hats for spring. Stetson  
and Knox shapes; worth to \$4.00. Sale  
price..... \$1.95

Caps, 50 cent and 75 cent values. Now..... 15¢

One lot of Men's Hats; worth \$1.50. Now 45¢

LOOK! Free Ride to  
Victoria!

Railroad fare one way  
returned to out-of-  
town purchasers of \$20  
or more within 40 miles.

Men's and Youths'  
Suits worth to \$10.  
Wreck price..... \$3.95

## Men's Frnsh'gs Slaughtered

Boys' and Men's Shirts; prices 75¢ to \$1.00.  
Wreck Sale price..... 35¢

Men's Shirts, white and fancy patterns; price  
\$1.50 and \$2.00. Sale price..... 85¢

Men's Underwear, worth 50¢. Sale price 25¢

Men's Hose, worth 10¢ and 15¢. Sale price 5¢

Men's and Ladies' Handkerchiefs, hemstitched,  
white or fancy border; worth 10¢ to 25¢.  
Sale price, 3 for..... 10¢

Best Work and Flannel Shirts on earth; worth  
up to \$1.00. Sale price..... 45¢

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## RATEPAYERS FORM

## NEW ASSOCIATION

Organization for Cowichan District—Spring Work on Farms

(Special Correspondence.)

Cowichan Station, April 12.—The fine weather of the last few weeks has enabled the farmers of this district to get well on with their spring work, and a good deal of garden, orchard and field work has been done.

There has been a brisk movement in real estate during the last few months, and a number of new houses are being, or have been, completed. Messrs. Cole, Bell, Seddon, Hingan and Kingscott have built on land recently acquired. A number of those who went into the poultry business report that they are doing very well, notably Messrs. Hanson, Soole, Mowbray and Norrie Bros. Several others are going into the business this season.

A Ratepayers' Association has been formed here for the purpose of looking after and promoting the affairs of the district.

A fruit growing demonstration orchard has been set out on five acres of land granted by N. W. May. About 600 apple, pear and plum trees have been planted.

The Huson Vista hotel at Cowichan Bay, which is now under management of Mr. and Mrs. H. Morton, has had a thorough overhauling, the fine drive along the shore is almost complete, several new boat houses have been built and some new launches added to the fleet.

## PRINCE RUPERT'S WATER SUPPLY

Prince Rupert, April 12.—Following close upon the announcement of the city engineer's plans for supplying Prince Rupert with an adequate water supply for domestic purposes, comes the further important move made by the council for the acquisition of the remaining rights over the Woodworth and Shawatlans lakes. With this latest acquisition the city's rights are ensured to the whole of the water of these lakes with the watershed reserved for her use. The water is now held not for domestic supply alone but is also capable of being used at any time for power purposes.

The council, acting on the advice of the city engineer, decided to purchase the whole of the interests of C. M. Woodworth, of Vancouver, and his associates in the water at Woodworth lake. The price to be paid is \$15,000, and it goes sufficient water to develop over 1,800 horse-power, according to the estimate of the city engineer.

The record so acquired from Mr. Woodworth is that held by the Prince Rupert Power & Light Company, which was incorporated in 1907. Rights were acquired by the company to about eight miles of the water in the lake.

## CLEANING UP DAY.

Revelstoke, April 12.—The council has decided that it would be advisable to have a general cleaning up day. The matter was brought to the attention of his colleagues by Ald. Abrahamson, and although a day has not yet been set it was the general opinion that it was a most excellent idea and one that should be acted upon. The council may even go so far as to proclaim a regular half holiday for the purpose if it is within their power to do so. It has been the practice of Calgary for some years to inaugurate and carry out a cleaning up day and Ald. Nelson and many other cities and Ald. Abrahamson did not see why Revelstoke should not do the same thing. Ald. McKinnon saw no reason why we should not have a cleaning up day; Ald. Barber thought it a good idea; while Mayor Hamilton expressing his opinion that it was a cracking good idea and that he very much favored it. Ald. Abrahamson was strong for it.

## NICOLA VALLEY HOSPITAL.

Merritt, April 12.—A charter of incorporation for the Nicola Valley General Hospital and a site has been definitely agreed upon. A committee of medical men agreed to obtain a site, six lots facing on Priest street. Lots 1 and 2 in that block have been donated by the Diamond Vale Collieries, Ltd.; lots 3 and 4 by the Diamond Vale Supply Company, and T. J. Smith has agreed to give options on lots 5 and 6 for \$450. The lots are half-acre lots, and this will give a total area for the hospital grounds of three acres.

Another important development in the hospital situation is the turning over of all funds, amounting to \$1,576, by the Miners' Hospital Fund Company to A. W. Strickland, manager of the Bank of Montreal, who has been elected treasurer to the Nicola Valley General Hospital by his fellow-directors.

Remember the B. Williams & Co.'s going out of business sale of high class clothing, hats and furnishings opened this morning at 9.30. Read price list on page 9.

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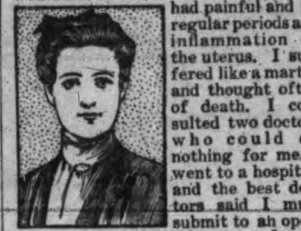
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Another Operation Avoided. Poughkeepsie, N.Y.—I run a sewing machine in a large factory and got all run down. I had to give up work for I could not stand the pains in my back. The doctor said I needed an operation for womb trouble but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did more for me than the doctors did. I have gained five pounds. I hope that every one who is suffering from female trouble, nervousness and backache will take the Compound. I owe my thanks to Mrs. Pinkham. She is the working girl's friend for health, and all women who suffer should write to her and take her advice. MISS TILLIE PLENGIG, 33 Jay St., Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

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Many Claims Are Being Worked—Group Near Ferguson Purchased

Nelson, April 12.—Bruce White and associates have purchased from P. H. Murphy, Neil O'Donnell, James Grant, William Davy and William Bennett the Winslow group on Silver Cup mountain, near Ferguson, in the Trout lake district of the Lardeau country and about two and a half miles from the well known Silver Cup mine.

The group consists of three claims. The ore is free milling and concentrating gold. During the boom days in the Lardeau country the Winslow group was bonded for a very large sum to a syndicate of Tacoma capitalists who carried out some 1000 feet of work on the property and sacked a good deal of ore though none was shipped.

Two tunnels have been driven in on the vein which runs in width from 12 to 20 feet with values ranging from \$8 to \$20 per ton. It is this big vein that is the feature of the property. Mr. White is at present driving a tunnel, below the two existing ones, which is expected to tap the vein at a depth of 200 feet.

F. C. Merry, manager of the Silver Cup mine, near Ferguson, came in with Mr. White. Some 20 men are at work on this well known property, he stated, and the mine is looking better than it has done for the past six months. Recently a new ore shoot, has been struck which looked most promising. The prospects for an excellent year in the Lardeau country were better than they have been for some time was the opinion of both Mr. White and Mr. Merry. They mentioned that the True Fissure which was operated last year by Newton W. Emmens would again known mining engineer, would also be developed directly the snow cleared away. A property that is now being operated is the Canadian Boy, which is owned by Joseph Kirkpatrick, while on Ten Mile creek some men are busy placer mining.

Mr. White is the owner of the Spyglass, a claim on popular creek, a high grade silver proposition and expects to recommence work there this summer.

## BREAKS WORLD'S RECORD.

Largest Output of Lumber Ever Shipped in One Month.

New Westminster April 12.—Shipping 600 carloads of lumber or 12,500,000 feet during the month of March, the Western Canada Lumber Company, whose mills are at Fraser Mills, beat the world's record. This amount is the largest shipment of lumber ever made by any one company in the world in one month. The previous record of the mill was last June when 5,000,000 feet were shipped, but this included three million feet by steamer. The shipment last month was entirely by rail.

All the lumber shipped in March went to the prairies, including 200 carloads for the G. T. P. The prospects for the big mill for April are every bit as bright as March. The mill is working 12 1/2 hours a day instead of ten hours as in the past.

## ROSSLAND BOY SCOUTS.

Rossland, April 12.—At a meeting of the committee of management of the Boy Scouts the names were handed in of thirty-two brave boys who desired to join the scouts. These names were turned over to the scoutmaster on probation and to be divided into patrols. The Boy Scouts have certainly caught on.

## CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

## STREET CLOSED

Notice is hereby given that Fort street between Yates street and St. Charles street will be closed to traffic until further notice.

## Paving Tenders

Sealed tenders, marked "Pavement Tenders," will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m., Friday, April 28th, 1911, for constructing approximately 600,000 square yards or 36 miles of asphalt pavement. Plans, specifications and form of tender may be procured at the office of the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent.  
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., April 12th, 1911.

## Notice to Contractors

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. Tuesday, April 18th, 1911, for the construction and erection of two Fire Halls.

Plans, specifications and form of tender may be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent.

## Re Subdivisional Plans

Persons desiring to obtain the approval of the City Council to subdivisional plans, are hereby notified to submit said plans in the first instance to the Chairman of the Street Committee, Alderman W. A. Gleason, and the City Engineer.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.  
City Clerk's Office, March 12th, 1911.

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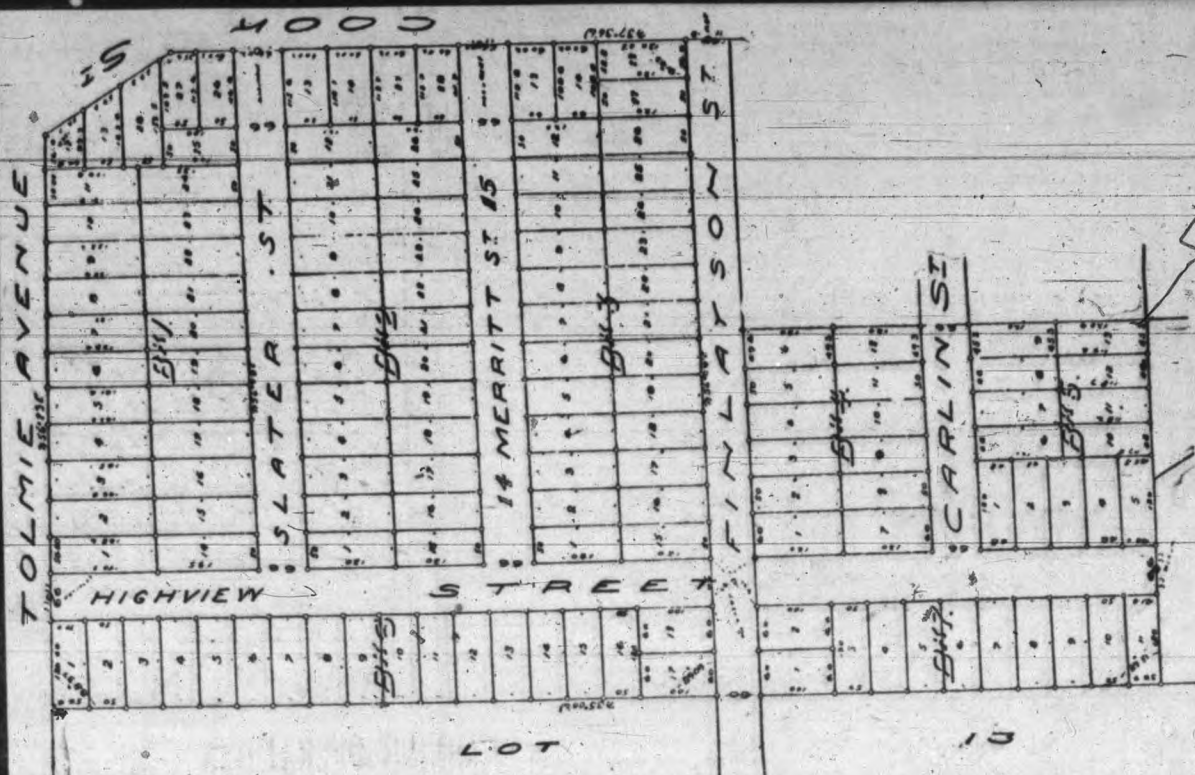


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## HON. W. S. FIELDING'S BUDGET SPEECH

CONSERVATIVES SEE  
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Largest Trade, Revenue and  
Surplus Ever Recorded—No  
Tariff Changes Announced

### Budget in Brief.

Estimated gross revenue for year ending March 31, \$117,500,000; actual revenue year previous, \$101,509,710. Estimated expenditure for year ending March 31, \$87,000,000; actual expenditure year previous, \$79,411,747. Estimated surplus for year ending March 31, \$30,500,000; actual surplus year previous, \$22,091,963. Per capita debt on an estimated present population of 2,785,000, \$43.69; as compared with \$50 per capita in closing years of Conservative regime. Total annual trade now nearing \$800,000,000 mark. During first eleven months of past fiscal year it increased by \$75,798,000. Since 1900 imports from Great Britain increased from \$14,279,983 to \$101,068,534, while exports to Great Britain had increased from \$95,500,000 to \$145,000,000. No temporary loans are now outstanding, and all the debt is funded. Less than three years' revenue would pay off the debt. The bounties on iron and steel that expire in July will not be renewed.

For such a quiet and unassuming man, Hon. W. S. Fielding, finance minister of Canada, has a remarkable habit of breaking records, says the Ottawa correspondent of the Toronto Star. His budget speech of yesterday was in many ways the most remarkable ever delivered since Confederation.

For one thing, it was the shortest. Allowing for the interruption of Black Rod, and the dutiful trip that the Commons made to the Senate as a result, Mr. Fielding was not talking for more than three-quarters of an hour. That in itself is one record gone by the board. But before he sat down he

had smashed another one. That thirty million dollar surplus is the biggest one that Canada has ever seen. Then just to show what he was capable of, the minister left out all reference to the tariff—rank heresy, according to the opposition, which usually gets much ammunition out of this end of a budget speech.

### Threw Up Their Hands.

Piling miracle upon miracle the opposition agreed to the motion to go into supply, thereby tacitly throwing up their hands on the budget, and putting an end to the budget debate. That is another record gone. Never before has a budget debate been finished up before six o'clock on the day it is started. It usually lasts for a couple of weeks, and very often longer. So taking it by and large, it was something of a speech after all. Moreover, the dropping of the debate leaves the decks clear for more reciprocity, which can now be brought on.

### Senator Beveridge Looks On.

There was a little disappointment in the crowded galleries when the finance minister concluded. Nobody looks for anything in the way of an oration from him, he is not that sort, but you will notice that there is always an audience when he has anything to say. The budget speech is one of the big annual events in the House, and every member was in his place, and the galleries bright with gay gowns. Senator Beveridge, keen and alert, listened to every word, surrounded by ministers' wives. In the adjoining gallery Archbishop Bruchest, of Montreal, sat, scarcely less interested.

### A Clear-cut Logical Mind.

The more often you hear W. S. Fielding speak the more are you impressed with the clear-cut logical mind of the man. He talks as he thinks, and he acts as he talks. When he has a speech to make, a page brings in two little baskets, one empty, one containing his papers. As he finishes with one document he puts it in the empty basket, and you can get an idea of how far he has got just by watching the pile in one basket grow and the other diminish. The papers are carefully arranged. He goes through his speech just as he has decided on beforehand. He is master of the difficult art of concentration. He uses just the necessary number of words to say what he has to say, and then he sits down. That's all there is to it. Yesterday he got over the whole ground in about

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one-third-of-the time he was expected to require, and when he finished there was no more to be said.

### Foster's Stock Criticisms.

To Hon. Mr. Foster remained the difficult task of piling to pieces the fabric the finance minister had built up, and it was a big task. All the opposition critic could do was to fan the air for an hour, with those stock criticisms that are hauled out every budget day. Then the debate collapsed. For days conjecture has been rife, and financial speculation not unknown. If reports be true, concerning the Government's intentions with regard to the remaining steel bounties, Mr. Fielding made no reference to this in his speech, and by night the suspense became unbearable to some, and Boyce, of West Algonia, asked what the Government meant to do. With characteristic brevity, the minister told him that the Government had no intention of renewing the bounties on steel rods, which expires on July 1.

### Something to Be Proud of.

It was good hearing, that budget speech. All through the session minister after minister had risen in his place and told, through the reports of his department, the story of Canada's growing time, and the chronicle of prosperity reached its culmination when the finance minister told his tale last night. A surplus of thirty millions, Canada's trade with the Mother Land doubled, her world trade in eleven months greater than for the same period last year by nearly seventy-seven millions, the per capita national debt fallen off, the artificial stimulus of bounties growing less and less, her borrowing restricted, no temporary loan of any kind outstanding, thirty-five and a half millions spent on the things necessary to make the country greater than ever, and this with a small addition to the national debt—it was something for any man and any party to be proud of.

### No Help for the Pessimist.

It is true that there was no "news" in the speech, nothing to wrangle and jangle about, save this alone, that the Government flatly refuses to sit down and watch things. The pessimist and the fright-monger got little sympathy in that speech. Things were going well, but things would go better. "If you can't boost, don't knock," was what Mr. Fielding's peroration really meant, though he put it in more parliamentary language. Yet there was no money madness about it. In plain language he told the House that it was always well to keep a hand on the brakes. Not so very long ago when the "hard times" had come, the Government had known how to do it, and the wisdom of it was shown later.

When it was all over, the Opposition with nothing to say, the Government benches jubilant, neighbor looked at neighbor with a proud air of proprietorship. He was "in on" it too, richer than he thought he was, owing less than he put it in more parliamentary language. That is the way with W. S. Fielding. He makes figures talk, and they are telling a very fine story.

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### LOST BOHEMIA.

Actor Remains Passing of Institution Where Actors and Critics Met.

"A pleasant, uncontentious, and characteristically courteous little address upon 'Critics, Criticism, and the Criticized' was given in London recently by Rutland Barrington, with his colleague of the vaudeville, Miss Clara Evelyn, in the chair. So far from raising any battle-cry against the most abused element in theatrical life, the famous Savoyard expressed, on the whole, a desire for a better acquaintance between critics and players, both socially and artistically.

It was generally believed, said he, that with the social rise of the profession, and the establishment of all sorts of societies for the propagation of dramatic fellowship, the critics and players were better known to one another now than ever. This was hardly the case. It only meant that the outer world had opened its doors to the actor and actress, whose social purview had thus become enormously broadened.

In earlier Victorian days, however, there existed a now vanished Bohemia, where actors, artists, critics, novelists, and literati generally had the exclusive entrée, and met one another on terms of frank and unstrained companionship. In the Bohemian salons of this past generation the actor dropped his "side," the critic any corresponding pose which he might have been inclined to adopt elsewhere, the conversationalist was stimulated to full brilliancy in a free and sympathetic atmosphere, voluntary and spontaneous entertainment was the order of the evening, and altogether it was rarely possible to spend a dull hour. Despite the fact that under these circumstances the

critic and the criticized were often the most intimate friends. Mr. Barrington averred that criticism was then far more outspoken and candid than it is now. It was more personal, but praise and blame were bestowed with no less discrimination on that account.

From an artistic point of view, Mr. Barrington suggested that it would be an excellent thing if the critics could be present periodically during the run of a piece, if only for the purpose of keeping the actors—especially the comic ones—sternly to their part. After a first night he had frequently seen criticism to the effect that "when Messrs. Blink and Blank have had time to work up their parts we have no doubt, etc., etc." It would be a good thing, he thought, if critics could come along later and see the terrible

result of encouragement of this kind upon the proportions of the play. Even as it was, he knew authors who consistently left Blink and Blank to write in their own parts to whatever extent the management permitted.

As to the vexed question of whether or not actors read criticism, Mr. Barrington frankly confessed that his own method was to begin at the bottom and run his finger up to where his own name appeared. If the criticism was favorable it was, he felt, true. If not, it was "only that fellow's opinion." In the main he considered it was the actor's mission to amuse rather than to instruct, and the critic's to do the reverse.

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### COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision will sit in the Council Chamber, Oak Bay Avenue, on Saturday, 18th May, 1911, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments as made by the Assessor and for revising and correcting the Assessment Roll.

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## LIGHTING SYSTEM IS TO BE EXTENDED

City Council Decides to Make  
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The city council has decided to make the following purchases of apparatus and plant for the purpose of carrying out the extensive additions which it is proposed to make to the street lighting system: Thirty-five thousand feet of 2-inch fibre conduit, at \$7.50 per 100 feet; 50,000 feet of 1-inch galvanized steel conduit, at \$3.40 per 100 feet. Tenders will be called for a supply of 150 cedar poles; 8,000 pounds of copper line wire; 1,000 pounds of flexible arc cable; 1,000 glass insulators; 150 magnetic arc lamps and cut outs; 4.50 light transformers, and 1-20 circuit-arc switch board.

Hutchison Bros. will be awarded the contract for the installation of the electrical system for the cluster lighting on Fort street. The lighting will be similar to that on Yates street, and the cost, exclusive of the iron standards, will be \$1,000.

The city council decided to purchase 150 hydrants of the "Ludlow" type from W. G. Winterburn at a price of \$44 each. Tenders for the hydrants were recently received from Hutchison Bros. at \$60, from the Marine Iron Works at \$65.75, and from Mr. Winterburn at \$44.

## RUPERT CITIZEN FOR VICTORIA

Alderman Patullo Resigns Office to Prosecute Business in the Queen City

Ald. Patullo, of Prince Rupert, who has been prosecuting business in Victoria for several weeks, has resolved to lengthen his absence from the G. T. P. terminal city indefinitely, and in order to do justice to himself and his constituents he has tendered his resignation from the council.

The alderman, who is a well known figure all up and down the Pacific seaboard, has taken over the real estate end of R. V. Winch & Co., Limited, on Fort street, to which task he will bring an accumulation of knowledge acquired in the business in many parts of the country. In Prince Rupert and Dawson City his name is a household word. In the former place his interests are of an extremely valuable description, and his knowledge of that particular part of the country renders him an excellent pilot for people who are desirous of learning the conditions, resources and prospects peculiar to that district.

Being a keen, aggressive business man, Ald. Patullo foresees the future that is lying in store for Victoria; his confidence in its capability to make good is unbounded, and he is anxious to take a hand in the process of development that will achieve the great desideratum, a greater Victoria, the distributing centre of the Island's unmeasured wealth in minerals, agricultural and horticultural potentialities.

## OVER SCORE KILLED BY TORNADES

(Continued from page 1)

One person was killed and three seriously injured at Reserve, Kas., a small village in the north part of the state. Mrs. Fred Stone was killed when her house collapsed. Her two sons were seriously injured. The wind was so severe that it stripped the clothing from Mrs. Stone and her children. Mrs. Roy Vernon was seriously hurt when her house was wrecked. The tornado completely destroyed five houses in Reserve.

At Okolona, Okla., thirty-two persons were hurt, thirty houses demolished, causing a property loss estimated at \$50,000. At Eskridge, Kas., a school-house destroyed injuring 30 children, some seriously. Mrs. Clara Rutledge, and Daniel Cousins, were badly injured by flying timbers.

At Hiawatha, Kas., one person was killed, and a number slightly hurt. Jane Pelton, aged 7 years, was killed and Laura Brown, school teacher, Gladys Mellett, Wm. Roberts and a man named Sommers were badly hurt. Twelve buildings were destroyed and damage amounts to thousands of dollars.

The towns of Germantown and Baker, in Kansas were damaged. At Germantown a man named Rosebaum was struck by lightning and badly hurt.

Carried Through Air.  
Joplin, Mo., April 13.—Seven persons were seriously injured, many others experienced narrow escapes, a property damage of many thousand dollars was inflicted, and telegraph and telephone and interurban railway service was demoralized for several hours by a windstorm that swept the district last night in four minutes.

F. J. Welton was picked up by the wind in the heart of the Joplin business section, carried ten feet into the air and blown along exactly the length of a city block, being deposited at Fourth and Main in the hall of a building. His right leg was broken, and he is believed to have suffered internal injuries. His flight was observed by several hundred persons.

Mrs. Almada Shalley, 60 years old, was killed two miles north of here tonight when her home was demolished

by the storm. Her husband was seriously injured.

Many Homeless.

Muskogee, Okla., April 13.—Forty people seriously injured were taken from Big Heart to Tulsa in stock cars last night. The Midland Valley railroad officials here report four dead and over a hundred injured at Big Heart. Many of the injured, it is believed, will die, and many more are dangerously hurt.

The tornado struck Big Heart from the southwest. Scores of persons,

surprised at the town being suddenly blown into a state of semi-darkness, rushed from their homes only to be struck down by flying debris.

At the edge of the village a hundred Indians were encamped. Their tents were gathered up like bits of paper and carried away. Several Indians were hurt and many ponies that were grazing in the vicinity of the tents were killed.

When the rescuers arrived from Avant and Tulsa they found fully 400 people homeless. Aided by the light

of lanterns, which were frequently blown out in the drizzling rain and swift wind, the searchers experienced much difficulty in locating the dead and injured. Several bodies were carried outside of the village limits, and were found in farmers' fields.

Three Killed.

Plumerville, Ark., April 13.—Three persons were killed and a score of others were severely injured in a windstorm which swept through this place last night.

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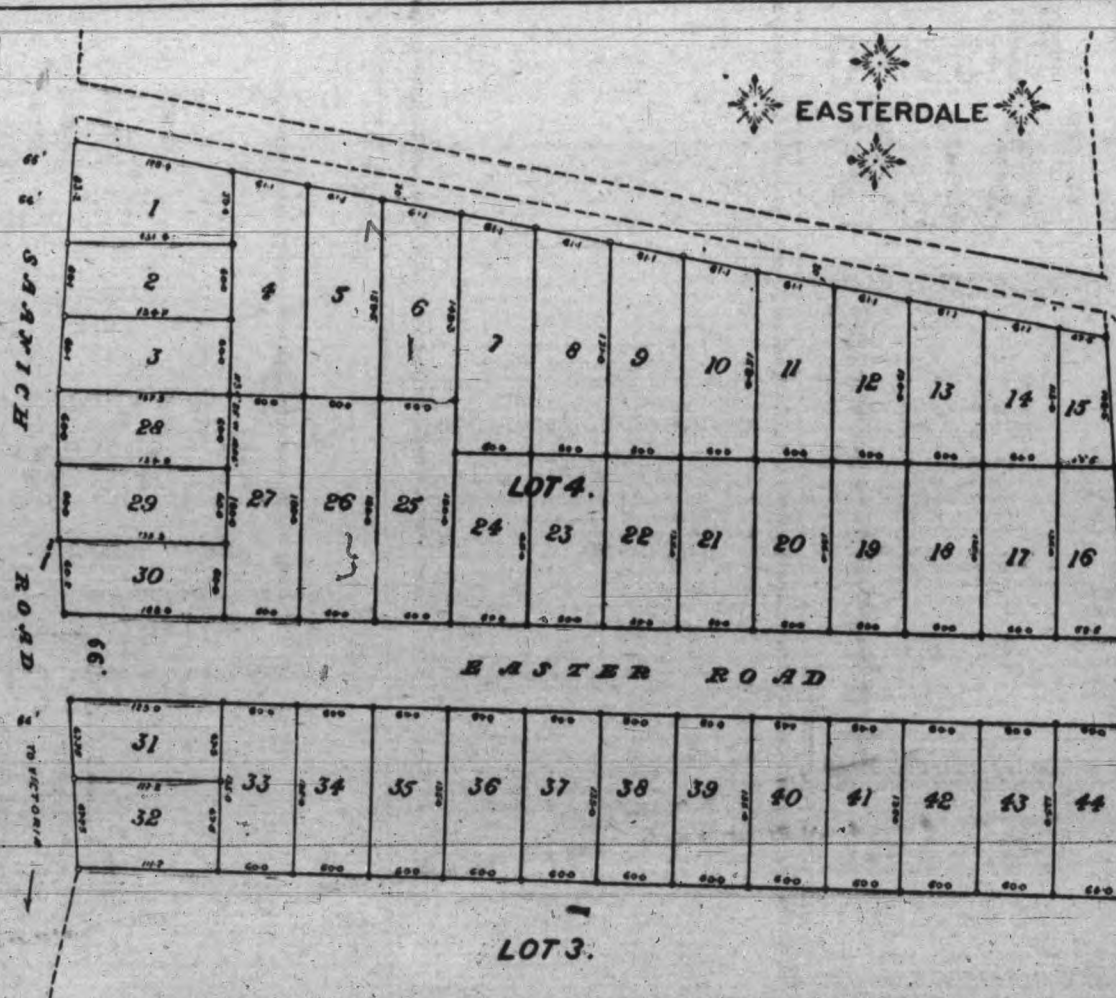
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GEO. R. ELLIOTT,  
Assistant Secretary.  
March 1st, 1911.

## FIRE DRILL IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Chief Davis Sends in Report to Board of School Trustees

Fire Chief Davis, at last evening's regular meeting of the school board, submitted a report on the matter of fire drill in schools. The children of the South Park school had the record, having cleared the building in thirty seconds after the alarm sounded. There were no losses in the Victoria West school and these should be installed at once.

The chief also recommended that small children, occupying rooms upstairs in the Victoria West school should be brought to the lower floor. On his suggestion the buildings and grounds committee of the board was instructed to make an examination of all the school buildings and arrange that primary classes on upper floors be placed on the lower floors.

The need of another school in the Oaklands district was discussed, and it was suggested that a two-room structure be erected on Quadra street, north of Hillside avenue. The matter was referred to the special committee dealing with school accommodation.

The request from the city council that detailed estimates be furnished will be complied with.

Chairman Jay explained that the four lots to the rear of the Bank street school, upon which an option had been taken, were still available and he advised that these be acquired. This was left in the hands of a special committee.

It was decided at once call for tenders for the installation of fire alarm systems in the Victoria West and Bank street schools.

The request from the manager of the Sheffield choir that a half-holiday be declared during the visit here of that musical organization was refused, the opinion being expressed that as the choir was travelling as a financial proposition the board could not become a party to it.

Lillian S. Jackson asked that the school children be allowed to participate in the general parade proposed by the Daughters of Empire in their "Coronation Carnival." Mrs. Jenkins and Superintendent Paul were appointed a committee to go into the matter.

It was decided that the Easter vacation would extend from this afternoon until Monday, April 24.

A resolution expressing sympathy with Miss Lawson, principal of the Kingston street school, whose sister was lost in the Troquois disaster, was passed.

### JOHNSON MEMORIAL.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 12.—"When I die, I hope the people will make a playground over my body. I would rather have the children romping over my grave than a hundred monuments." This was the statement often made by former Mayor Tom L. Johnson, who died Monday night, to his friends when men in public life died and monuments to their memory were being planned. A mass meeting is being held to raise funds for a memorial to Mr. Johnson's memory.

### ATTEMPTS TO BURN CHURCH.

Walla Walla, Wash., April 12.—A reward of \$250 has been offered by the board of underwriters of the Pacific Coast for the apprehension of the person or persons who have been trying to burn St. Paul's Episcopal church in this city. Three attempts have been made within the past six months, and the fire insurance people are anxious to get hold of the offenders.

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## PREPARING FOR PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

Dr. Gomez Arranges for Communication Between Mexico and Washington

Washington, D. C., April 12.—Initial steps to bring about peace in Mexico, supplementing informal advances so far made to that end, were taken here yesterday.

Dr. Vasquez Gomez, head of the confidential agency of the revolutionists in the United States, announced that he had completed special arrangements for expeditious telegraphic communications between the camp at Madero in Chihuahua and Washington. The results of telegraphic conferences with his colleague, which will include definite terms by which peace may be effected, will be transmitted by Dr. Gomez to Mexico City.

### Rebel Movements.

Agua Prieta, Mex., April 12.—(Via Douglas, Ariz.)—The combined forces of the rebels under Juan Cabral, Antonio Garcia and Ricardo Romero, appeared suddenly before Cananea yesterday. Three bridges between Naco and Cananea on the railroad were burned out and wires cut. All communication was thus suspended. The largest bridge, a wooden trestle at Del Rio, was burned.

The federal force of 1100, including 200 cavalry, under the command of Medina Baron, and other leaders, which went out from Cananea a few days ago, entered Arizona to find the rebels gone. The city was abandoned with all documents, and citizens fled into Cananea, followed by a retrograde movement of the federal troops, who hurried back to Cananea.

All the federal troops are now in Cananea. In the heart of the town is a rising mesa, called Swenson Hill. This has been fortified with high, strong rock walls on its crest. No persons are permitted to approach this mesa, and it is thought to be mined. Late yesterday the rebels retired to Bacanochi, south of Cananea.

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## LEADER DEFINES LABOR'S POSITION

Ramsay Macdonald States How Preponderant Vote Will Go on Vital Questions

J. Ramsay Macdonald, M. P., chairman of the Labor party in England, speaking at Clerkenwell, said that the Labor party were going to devote their energies to getting the Parliament Bill passed. They were not going to bother about pettifoggish details, but they were going to bother about big principles. But while readjusting the relations between the Commons and the Lords, the party would not dumbly acquiesce in a declaration that another second chamber of men whose one qualification was their riches was to be created. The Labor party supported the operative clauses of the Parliament Bill, but would oppose in full battle the preamble of the bill, which contemplated the creation of another second chamber.

While they were rejoicing at the wish of Sir Edward Grey to enter into an agreement with President Taft and to establish a permanent link between this country and the United States, and shared to the full the enthusiasm and hope coming into the hearts of many men, they might over-estimate its importance. There was one great danger. If the opinion got abroad that this was going to be a superior Anglo-Saxon alliance for the purpose of imposing the Anglo-Saxon will and interest upon the whole of the world then the alliance might do more harm than good. His German friends, he hoped, would assume nothing of the kind. The Labor party in the House of Commons would there was a United States that whether not the great problem to be faced was a European problem and not an American problem. The problem in statesmanship was how we were going to do to Germany what France and Great Britain did for each other when they established the entente, largely owing

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## WOMAN BEATEN TO DEATH NEAR HOME

Tragedy Believed to Have Been Result of Feud—Neighbor is in Custody

Tacoma, Wash., April 12.—Mrs. Sadie Buchanan, wife of James C. Buchanan, president of the Puget Sound Lumber Company, was found dead yesterday at the water's edge at the Buchanan county home at Wolachet-Bay Entrance, known as West Tacoma. Roy Moorehead, a rancher, is in the county jail, held without bail, pending an investigation by the authorities, and suspected by them of having caused the woman's death.

A feud has long raged between the Buchanan and Moorehead since the Buchanans located their place between Moorehead's land and the bay. Moorehead has had the Buchanans arrested and they have had him arrested, the litigation in one form or another extending over a year.

James Buchanan, Jr., a five-year-old boy, asserts his mother was beaten over the head with an oar by Moorehead and knocked down in the water, and that Moorehead then jumped on her and left her lying there. The boy says his mother had gone to the beach to drive up their ducks and that Moorehead, who had his boat on the beach, threw rocks at the ducks. Words ensued, and then, the child claims, Moorehead took an oar and beat his mother over the head with it. The child ran to the home of two neighboring ranchers. When they arrived on the scene the tide had receded, leaving Mrs. Buchanan's body out of the water. Moorehead was walking up and down the beach, and said to the two men: "There she is." They saw an oar, broken in three pieces, lying on the beach. Moorehead then came to Tacoma and went to the home of his father-in-law, J. B. Thompson, a former sheriff, and yesterday afternoon telephoned his whereabouts to the sheriff. He refused to discuss the case. The Buchanans are widely known in Tacoma.

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## TORONTO ELECTRIC LIGHT SITUATION

Company Headed by Sir Mackenzie Has Practically Perpetual Franchise

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, April 12.—A bomb was dropped into a hydro-electric and public ownership circles yesterday when it was announced that the Toronto Electric Light company of which Sir Wm. Mackenzie has secured control has practically a perpetual franchise from the city. When the present term of the franchise runs out in 1919 the city must buy them at own price or renew it for twenty years. This looks like a perpetual franchise and may lead to bitter competition between Sir Wm. Mackenzie's company and the Ontario Hydro-Electric.

## OBITUARY RECORD

**BURNED TO DEATH.**  
Sparks, Nev., April 12.—Mrs. Almendra Della Santa, 20 years of age, was burned to death yesterday afternoon following an attempt to start the kitchen fire with the aid of kerosene. The flames shot out from the stove, enveloping her and burning away her clothes. When, in a few moments, she was taken from the blazing house, she was dead. The woman's three-month-old baby, in the same house, was rescued unhurt. The husband of the victim was working in the railway shops at the time of the fire. The house was but partially destroyed.

## HEIRS TO FORTUNE.

Halifax, April 12.—Whether certain Boston, California and Halifax people are heirs to a fortune of \$2,500,000 in real estate on Broadway, New York, is perplexing those concerned and several attorneys.

Mrs. Charles McKay, a working woman, and Dr. C. E. Putner, of Halifax, have been notified by relatives in Boston that they are heirs to the property, and have retained counsel. It is said that Mrs. John Crest of Redwood City, Cal., and Mrs. Robert Adams, of Boston, sisters of Mrs. McKay, are also heirs. Mrs. McKay says that the real estate originally was left to the children of Mr. and Mrs. Putner, from whom the heirs trace their descent.

The remains of John Wilson, who dropped dead in the Rainier hotel last Monday, will be laid to rest in the Ross Bay cemetery on Saturday afternoon. The funeral will take place from the Victoria undertaking parlors at 2:30 p. m.

The remains of the late Stanley Arthur Clarke, aged 29 years, will be laid to rest in the Colwood cemetery on Saturday. The funeral takes place at 2 p. m. from the family residence, Colwood, and fifteen minutes later from the church. Rev. B. Allen will officiate. The deceased is survived by a father and a mother, residing at Sunnyside, Happy Valley; a wife and two children at Colwood, and a sister, Mrs. C. Hall, Colwood.

The funeral of the late A. D. Munro took place from the family residence, 1625 Quadra street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and half an hour later from the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Rev. W. Leslie Clay officiated.

The body of Hoo Say, which was found yesterday on Sidney Island, has been removed to the Victoria undertaking parlors. Deceased was a victim of the Iroquois disaster.

The remains of the late Mrs. Martha B. Ella were laid to rest in the Ross Bay cemetery yesterday. The funeral took place from the family residence, 1156 Fort street, at 2:30 p. m., and fifteen minutes later from the Reform Episcopal church. A large number of friends were present, and also the church choir. Many hymns were rendered. Rev. T. W. Gladstone conducted an impressive service at the church and at the graveside. The floral tributes were numerous. The pallbearers were: Col. E. G. Prior, Charles Hayward, sr., George Jay, J. D. Helmcken, S. Yates and G. H. Laundry. Interment was made in the family plot in the Ross Bay cemetery.

The funeral of the late John Conway Wilson, aged 22 years, whose body was discovered Monday last in the Fraser river, will take place to-

morrow at 2:30 o'clock from the Hanna undertaking parlors. The Rev. Leslie Clay will conduct the services. The deceased is survived by four sisters and five brothers, as follows: Mrs. Tempier, of North Vancouver; Mrs. Henderson, of Oakland, Cal.; Mrs. Mogridge, of Alberta; Mrs. March, of Seattle; and R. C. Wilson, Allan C. Wilson, George Wilson and Norman Wilson, of this city; Colin Wilson, of Seattle, and James Wilson, of Dawson.

The remains of Harvey Snith were forwarded by the E. C. Funeral Undertaking Company to Chesley, Ont., today, for burial.

The funeral of the late Miss Ada Isabelle Fenwick, who lost her life in the Iroquois disaster, took place today at 2:15 p. m. from the residence of Dr. John Harper, 1162 Fort street and fifteen minutes later from Christ Church cathedral, where the very Rev. Dean Doull conducted services. The girls of the St. Margaret's school, which the late Miss Fenwick conducted, attended in a body. Interment was made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

A. B. Oldershaw has removed to 1485 Douglas street, opposite P. Burns.

Remember the B. Williams & Co.'s going out of business sale of high class clothing, hats and furnishings opened this morning at 9:30. Read price list on page 2.

The Presbyterian College, Montreal, this week conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity upon the Rev. Donald McTear of St. Paul's church, of this city.

What is termed "a Missionary Night" will be celebrated to-morrow evening at the First Baptist church. The members of the Women's Mission Circle will serve tea at 4:30 o'clock.

"Good and Bad Heads" will be the subject of the lecture to be given this evening by Prof. Alexander. To-morrow he will lecture on "Inventors and Their Work," and on Saturday he will repeat his popular lecture on "Love, Courtship, Marriage and Jealousy."

The presentation of the four-act drama, "A Noble Outcast," under the auspices of Western Star Lodge A. O. U. W., in Temple's hall, was erroneously stated yesterday to be fixed for tonight and to-morrow. The dates are Thursday and Friday, April 20 and 21. There will be a dance after the performance on Friday evening.

Special preparations are being made for the Easter services in the Metropolitan church on Sunday next. There will be a song service in the evening under the direction of J. M. Morgan. At 7 p. m. Edward Parsons will give a recital on the organ and at 7:30 p. m. the song service will commence. Rev. T. E. Hocking will preach in the morning on "The Easter Message."

On Monday evening next the members of the Metropolitan Epworth League are anticipating a treat when R. Sparling, of Vancouver, will deliver his illustrated travel talk on "The Yellowstone National Park." The talk will be illustrated by 110 splendid slides specially prepared by the official park photographer. These slides are beautifully colored and will be shown by W. M. Ritchie, with his powerful electric lantern. The league members are asking their friends to share this treat with them. An offering will be taken up on behalf of foreign missions.

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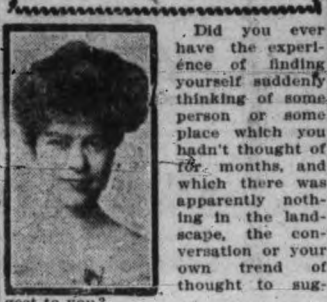
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have the experi-  
ence of finding  
yourself suddenly  
thinking of some  
person or some  
place which you  
hadn't thought of  
for months, and  
which there was  
apparently noth-  
ing in the land-  
scape, the con-  
versation or your  
own trend of  
thought to sug-  
gest to you?  
I'll answer for you. Yes. If you  
are my old friend, "The average per-  
son," of course, you have.  
And now another question.  
Do you ever attempt to seek out  
what has been the train of thought or  
the aeroplane of suggestion that has  
conveyed this place or person to your  
mind?  
Again, I'll answer for you. You  
have not. But you really ought to  
try, for truly it is a most interesting  
experiment. Someone suggested it to  
me and the other evening I tried it.  
I was walking down the street  
alone, after a visit to the dress-  
maker's. I was thinking of a new  
spring gown and of nothing else when  
suddenly, quite to my own surprise, I  
realized that the thought of a man I  
hadn't seen for a year or thought of  
for the same length of time had  
popped into my head. At first it  
seemed to me that the coming of this  
thought at just that moment was ab-  
solutely unaccountable, and then I  
searched about in my mind and found  
that I had just passed the house  
where his first wife's people had once  
lived. My eye had undoubtedly lit  
upon the house and far below the sur-  
face of my conscious mind the train  
of thought had started that brought  
that man's image to me. The process  
of suggestion had been so swift that  
I had been entirely unaware of it, but  
it was there just the same, and I sup-  
pose it always is even when we utterly  
fail to identify it.

In a somewhat similar fashion,  
often during a conversation, after a  
moment's silence you or your com-  
panion will suddenly speak out on a  
subject quite alien to what you had  
been talking about.  
Now you will find it a most interest-  
ing experiment to trace, or ask him to  
trace, the train of thought that car-  
ried you or him so far away from the  
previous topic.  
And not only are such experiments  
interesting, but they are also excellent  
mental training.  
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thought a few times you will be sur-  
prised how much easier the process  
comes and how much knowledge you  
are acquiring of one of the most fas-  
cinating of studies, the psychology of  
your own mind.

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Carlton hotel, Vancouver.  
Mrs. James Forman will not receive  
during the present month.  
Rev. Father Vullings, Ladysmith, is  
spending a few days at the Bishop's  
palace.  
Miss Agatha Nash, Battery street,  
will spend Easter with Vancouver  
friends.  
J. F. Bledsoe, Vancouver, is over for  
a few days on business. He is at the  
Empress.  
The Misses Cruickshank, Clayburn,  
are spending a few weeks as the guests  
of Victoria friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carmichael  
left to-day on a trip to Alberni, where  
they will spend Easter.  
Hon. W. J. Bowser and Hon. Price  
Ellison went to Vancouver on the  
steamer Princess Royal last night.  
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## THE ADVANCEMAN

Gertrude Elliott To-night. Liberal doses of optimism are administered in the course of "The Dawn of a Tomorrow," in which Miss Gertrude Elliott (Mrs. Forbes-Robertson) will be seen at the Victoria theatre to-night. A great deal of comfort can be obtained by a visit to this play, the moral being that, although we may be in trouble to-day, there is always a tomorrow to look forward to.

The play itself treats of the proposed suicide of Sir Oliver Holt, who, after being pronounced incurable, wanders off to the slums, there to put an end to his existence. While in the haunts of poverty he forgets his intention, interesting himself in the human life of his neighbors and caring for their troubles by the use of his money. While thus engaged he comes in contact with a waif, "Glad." This girl of the slums, keen-witted and sympathetic, believes in the to-morrow, and convinces Sir Oliver of a higher authority. It is said that Miss Elliott plays the part of "Glad" with a frankness and freshness which causes audiences to look upon her as most happily named "Glad."

With very few exceptions the cast supporting Miss Elliott is made up of Englishmen. Those who are of American birth lay claim to experience on the English boards, or residence in London. This is as it should be. As Mrs. Burnett's remarkable play sets its scenes in the slums of London, it is consequently quite fitting that Miss Elliott's company should include such names as Scott Gail, Fuller Melish, Charles Garry, Arthur Garry, Sam Pearce, Philip Leslie and Creighton Hale, all of them well-known in England, though all but Melish and Barry are new to this country.

These two, however, have made enviable reputations here in character work. Sydney Booth, the young actor who plays the villain in the piece, remembered for his good work with the late James A. Hynes and in Lillian Russell's companies, has played in England frequently.

No one, seeing the handsome young woman playing the part of Mimi would suspect that she was one of the famous Morrell sisters who were international favorites on the variety stages fifteen years ago. At one time these clever sisters headed the bill at the old Koster and Blais famous New York theatre for six consecutive months. Miss Carrie Morrell, the one now with Miss Elliott, has been on the legitimate stage for over ten years. She was a member of Viola Allen's company in "The Christian" and other plays for several seasons.

"Tillie's Nightmare." Not in many years has the theatre-going public known so pronounced a laughing, musical success as Marie Dressler's "Tillie's Nightmare," in which Lew Fields is presenting this hearty comedienne.

Coming here direct after six of the most memorable months at the New Fields' Herald Square theatre, New York, with the entire original cast and stage embellishments, Miss Marie Dressler in "Tillie's Nightmare" is bound to enjoy the ever-increasing popularity, which was accorded her during the longest and most successful engagement of any musical comedy organization that Broadway ever has seen.

As Tillie Hobbs, the boarding-house drudge, Miss Dressler unquestionably does the best work of her career, while the lavish production given her by Mr. Lew Fields is in every way worthy of his reputation, as is prodigious.

There is a laugh every minute while the curtain is up, while the eight scenes of the play are interspersed with some very catchy musical numbers and brilliant stage pictures.

Miss Dressler has two songs which have made a very pronounced hit, "Heaven Will Protect the Working Girl," and "What I Could Do on the Stage," in which she burlesques several well-known actresses and opera singers.

The engagement at the Victoria theatre will be for two nights, April 18 and 19. Miss Dressler is surrounded by a Company of exceptional merit, including the Misses Phyllis Gordon, Aunie Norton, Lottie Uart, Ethel Fairbanks, Nellie De Grasse, May Brennan, Lew Fields' English dancing girls, and the Messrs. Harry Macdonough, Horace Newman, Charles H. Bowers, George and John Gorman, Harry Laughlin and Sam Puleo.

Reciprocity and Sheffield Choir.

The scheme which Dr. Charles Harris, the sole organizer of the Sheffield Choir's tour on a musical festival of the Empire, is now carrying to completion, is a scheme of interest to commercial men particularly. "Coming more directly to musical reciprocity within the Empire and what it means," he said recently in an interview with a representative of this paper, "I desire to say that the male portion of this choir consists, for the most part, of captains of industry—gentlemen, who employ in their factories anything from 100 to 1,000 hands. They represent the best interests in trade and commerce to be found in the north of England. There are educationalists amongst them—Oxford and Cambridge wranglers and eminent men, representatives of the professions. We come through the medium of music to the overseas dominions, not only to exchange with you 'those things that matter,' but also to exchange views with you on business and commerce. Primarily also we desire to see our kith and kin, and go back to England as servants of this country in the way of becoming educators for this vast Dominion." The choir will be in Victoria May 17-18.

## FIRE AT PRINCE RUPERT.

Prince Rupert, April 12.—Fire destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bodey, First avenue, near Second street. Mr. Bodey is employed as a watchman on the G. T. P. waterfront and he returned home about midnight and very soon after he found his home on fire. He and his wife had to make a hurried exit scantily clothed. So fierce did the fire spread that it was impossible to save anything at all. The outbreak was caused by an overheated stove in the kitchen.

## BREACH OF PROMISE, SUIT.

Montreal, April 12.—Mr. Justice Greenfield has been hearing an action brought by Bertha Fisher, who claims \$5000 from Jonas H. Saxe for breach of promise of marriage.

Both parties to the action are Jews, and while the defendant admitted that he had broken the engagement, he set up that he had a right to do so, alleging that Miss Fisher had spoken slightly of the Jewish faith, and declared that she had a dislike for Jews and did not want to be one, circumstances which made it quite impossible that he should marry her with any hope of happiness.

The defendant produced evidence to show that he had paid a marriage broker named Schwartz to secure his introduction to Miss Fisher. He further admitted that he had broken the engagement because she declared that she was ashamed of her race and did not observe the Jewish laws and was not a good Jewess.

Miss Fisher, however, when in the witness box, declared that she was proud of her race and was a good Jewess, and this led to a lot of evidence not only as to her standing as a Jewess, but as to the defendant's business methods, he admitting that he kept his place on the Jewish Sabbath and other days with the exception of a few great holidays.

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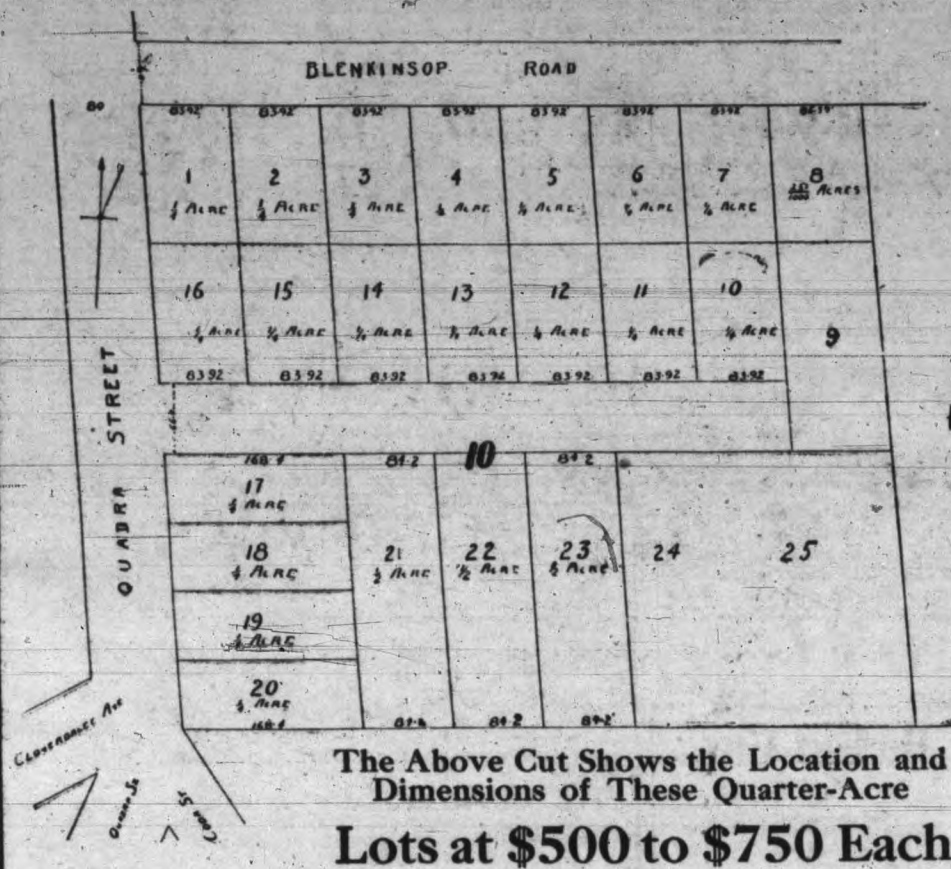
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## CLASSIFICATION OF THE WAGE EARNERS

Unusual Occupations Make Work for Census Enumerators and Enlighten Public

As a part of the task of compiling the thirteenth census of the United States, the census bureau will publish a report on the various occupations by which men and women in this country earn their daily bread, says the Washington correspondent of the New York Herald. Though it will be many months before the report will be given to the public, a conservative estimate places the number of classifications of industry at between seven and eight thousand. In compiling the list "rock bottom" is being sought in every case. When a carpenter is a carpenter, for instance, he may be employed in any one of the numerous branches of carpentry, and according to his branch he is to be classified.

The census of 1900 showed but a little over three hundred divisions of labor, having been compiled without the delicate distinction now being made.

Not every one is aware that there are such persons as judges, fakers, plowers, sluggers, busters, beaters out, cripple chasers and pancake makers. Yet they are one and all engaged in legitimate occupations connected with the necessary industry of manufacturing shoes. Nor would the uninitiated expect to find profit in raising bullfrogs for their legs or skunks for their oil. Two New Jersey women, however, are making a good livelihood by so doing, and a certain California woman obtains over \$100 an ounce wholesale for the seeds of petunias.

In some of the reports of the census enumerators in the field are found tabulations so unusual that they require no end of labor in properly classifying them at the bureau. One man who works in a saloon, styled himself a "destroyer of men." "Fat men" is applied to certain individuals in the printing business who always try to secure the easiest part of the work connected with their trade. "Breaking hind legs" is given as the occupation of an individual who breaks the hind legs of animals killed in packing houses.

Such occupations as "pouncer," in a hat factory; "tobler," a maker of stogies; "whittler," in a straw work; "dock walloper," a longshoreman; "vibrator," in a clock factory; "tonger," in connection with oysters; "teaser," in a glass factory; "scabbler," in quarrying; "flower," in a corset factory, and "dabber," in ship building, are all unusual occupations that must be listed.

Upon Mrs. Willa A. Leonard, of the treasury department, falls the bulk of the work of detecting counterfeit money. As the original Sherlock Holmes of the "querer," she has brought detection to clever counterfeiters to the extent of thousands of dollars. For more than forty years she has been considered an expert to her unusual occupation. While specializing on the detection of counterfeit money she has counted more than \$12,000,000. Sixteen thousand notes in regard as good day's work, but Mrs. Leonard has handled as many as twenty-two thousand. The limitation is detected from the real by its "feel," its coloring, size, engraving work and especially the vignette portrait. Mrs. Leonard believes that a perfectly engraved counterfeit note has never been produced.

Another remarkable woman doing an unusual work for Uncle Sam is Mrs. Patti Lyle Collins, of the dead letter division of the post office department. For many years she has deciphered almost illegible addresses on mail matter that has defied the postmasters. Though not blind, herself, she is known as the "blind reader" because of her remarkable ability in deciphering illegible addresses in English and other languages.

In the agricultural department is a woman, Mrs. Mica Zesta Heldemann, who makes models of the various bugs that prey upon grain, trees and farm produce in order that students of agriculture may receive practical demonstration in fighting them. The models, greatly enlarged, of course, are of insects with exquisitely colored silken and gauze wings, caterpillars, moths, the cotton-boll weevil, the common house fly, spiders, etc.

In the same department are three scientists engaged in the interesting occupation of examining the contents of the stomachs of birds. They have done nothing else for the last two years, and are trying to find out whether certain birds are the friends or enemies of farmers. Special agents in the field slay the birds by the hundreds and ship their stomachs to Washington in alcohol. Then they are microscopically examined by the three scientists, who tabulate their findings.

A man with a deft hand and an accurate eye receives the same annual salary in the treasury department for cutting up paper money. All day long he places under a mutilating knife large stacks of worn and soiled paper money that comes to the treasury for redemption. He destroys on an average \$1,500,000 a day and over four hundred millions in a year.

Every September a Newton, N. J., man ships fifty pounds of rattlesnakes to the New York Zoological Garden. After catching them on their native heath he packs them in a box with a small screen wire netting nailed on tightly all around and then turns the hissing, buzzing load over to the express company.

Another man—from Seattle, Wash.—finds it a profitable business to secure the mustaches from walrus killed in Babine Street and sell them to the Chinese for toothpicks. The stout bristles are plucked from the nose of the walrus by Indians, tied into small bundles and sold by him on the Pacific coast to agents who ship them to China, where they are in great demand. In an aged bull walrus the bristles are about a foot long and as thick as the lead in a pencil. Besides being extremely tough they can be pushed between the teeth without injuring the enamel. Last year the man in question sold 20

## BARGAINS

TWO NICE LOTS ON FRANCES AVENUE, near Burnside Road. Each 50x120. Cement sidewalks, close to new tram line. Each ..... **\$800**  
LOT 50x120 ON MONTEREY AVENUE, near Saratoga avenue ..... **\$750**  
ONE ACRE ON SEYMOUR STREET, off Cloverdale avenue. All cleared and level. No rock. Only ..... **\$1,525**  
THREE-QUARTER ACRE on Cloverdale Avenue; cleared; no rock. A good building site. Price ..... **\$1,800**  
SEVEN ACRES OFF SAANICH ROAD, 100 yards from new tram line; to close an estate; 6 acres cleared and cultivated; fruit trees, fenced, small shack; including pony, harness and cart. Price ..... **\$4,000**  
A COSY HOME on Toronto street, near Government street; corner lot; 5 rooms; gas, sewer, electric light, etc.; fruit trees. Price ..... **\$3,500**

## Swinerton & Musgrave

1206 Government Street

Phone 491 P.O. Box 502

busheles of them at a profit of nearly \$1,000.

Sod for a lawn, of a vivid green color and with a tuft as thick and close as velvet, will yield a profit of from \$300 to \$400 per acre, according to a woman near a large middle west city who has twelve acres of land under cultivation for that purpose. Each acre can be harvested but once every three years, so she is not making a fortune at her unique task. She is, however, making a comfortable living out of it.

Another woman, residing near Pittsburgh, Pa., earns her daily bread by raising Persian cats and selling them for from \$25 to \$500 a piece. She has become an expert in breeding animals of class, and frequently makes large sale to wealthy cat fanciers. Still another woman, the wife of a Pennsylvania farmer, clears on the average \$500 a year by raising pigeons.

Another woman makes a business of being discharged from the department store in which she is "employed" once or a dozen times a day if occasion demands. When a haughty, pompous customer complains of negligence or imperiousness or what-not on the part of a clerk the woman in question is summoned to the front office as the one in charge of that particular department, given a good dressing down before the angry customer and promptly discharged. For the men there is a youth who acts in the same capacity. Not infrequently both of them are discharged over a dozen times in a single day.

Remember the B. Williams & Co.'s going out of business sale of high class clothing, hats and furnishings opened this morning at 9:30. Read price list on page 9.

### For Sale

New Modern Houses!

NEW 9 ROOMS, full basement, furnace; first class finish, including plate glass windows. Fine view of mountains and sea. About one acre of ground. Five minutes from car line. Cheap at **\$15,000**

COOK STREET, fine 9 room house, splendidly finished. Very fine electric fittings. Full basement and furnace. One of the best houses on the street. Price is ..... **\$9,500**

OAK BAY, new 5 room house. One-third cash. Balance 1 and 2 years. Price ..... **\$3,000**

**BUSINESS BUYS**

VIEW STREET, near Douglas. Choice business location. Per foot **\$850**

**RESIDENCE LOTS**

OAK BAY—We still have a few lots left in Wilmet Place, but they have been going fast this week.

### Cross & Co.

622 Fort Street.

### A Great Bargain

Country home, about 3 1/2 miles from city hall, Mount Tolmie district, about 8 acres ground in fruit, fine seven room modern house, water laid on to bathroom and kitchen, good barns and out-buildings, beautiful garden and ornamental shrubs; terms. The ground alone is worth the price. For quick sale ..... **\$7,650**

For sale exclusively by

**RUSSELL & GREGG**

207 Pemberton Building.

## HOMES

Our list of house properties is very large and includes homes of every size and description, and in all parts of the city. If you are thinking of purchasing a home in Victoria it will pay you to consult our list before looking elsewhere.

If you prefer to build a house, we can show you some excellent lots at very moderate prices.

## F. J. Hart & Co., Ltd.

PEMBERTON BLOCK  
VICTORIA, B. C.

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Established 1891

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### A GREAT SNAP

PINE STREET, large lot, 60x134, close to Gorge water and a few yards from car line.

Price **\$1,000**

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Phone 2641

## THE BIG FOUR

This not only means the combination of railroads, but also four of the best buys going.

**HERE THEY ARE:**

1. 20 acres, half under cultivation; tile drained, fenced and cross fenced with wire, five room house, barn and granary, good water, gasoline pump, 4 acres in orchard two years old, 4,500 strawberry plants, close to proposed E. C. line, good terms. Price ..... **\$12,000**

2. 25 acres, finest kind of bottom land, 20 acres cleared, well drained, 1 mile from B. C. Electric line. Price ..... **\$10,000**

3. 141 acres, on West Saanich road, good land, all uncultivated, three stations within a radius of 1 mile, and will sub-divide beautifully. Price, per acre ..... **\$500**

4. 8 acres, good orchard land, ten room house on property, only four miles from town. Price ..... **\$8,000**

See us about these at once. They are snags and are sure to go quickly. Get busy.

### The Globe Realty Co.

Rooms 5-8 McCallum Block. Douglas Street.

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Our Price is **\$125,000**

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Real Estate and Investments.

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Read this little ad. tuck it into the corner of your brain for a moment to keep it on your mind. Then hurry along and see us AT ONCE for these gilt-edge investments. We'll hold them at these low figures for just two days. Remember, the financial magnates of to-day were the wise men who grasped just such opportunities quickly. You can do the same. BE A SUCCESS.

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**SIX ROOM HOUSE FOR \$1,800**—Only \$300 cash and \$15 paid monthly. It's now rented for \$15 month. Figure it out for yourself. Cost \$1,850. Revenue \$180 per year. A "Snap" you may never see the like of again in Victoria. The hustler gets it.

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## Many People Hoard Their Dollars

And It's the Greatest Mistake, for Money Breeds Money. Don't Be One of the Drones of the Financial Beehive for Your Own Sake. Make Your Dollars Work For You. See us at Once re These.

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Admirably situated, five minutes from boats, post office and business centres. View cannot be obstructed by other buildings.

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Price \$3,100

\$300 Cash, Balance \$30 per month

Harris & Sturgess

1219 Douglas Next Merchants Bank. Phone 2631.

## Liberals Attention!

### WARD ASSOCIATION MEETINGS

WARD ONE, Temple's Hall, Thursday, April 13.  
WARD TWO, Foresters' Hall, Thursday, April 13.  
WARD THREE, Foresters' Hall, Tuesday, April 18.  
WARD FOUR, Sir William Wallace Hall, Wednesday, April 12.  
WARD FIVE, Sir William Wallace Hall, Thursday, April 13.

REMEMBER YOUR WARD, LIBERALS, AND ATTEND

## The Success of the Liberal Party Depends on You

J. C. McINTOSH, Convener.

have a siphon but it was not working. I came up through her between deck's window on the weather side. She was then on her beam ends. I walked up the side of the deck house. I saw Mr. Munro—the purser, the captain, mate, several passengers and a sailor. Some were working the boats and some getting things out. There was only one boat above water at that time; the others were submerged. I saw the captain, mate and the sailor pull the other boats up on the deck house from the passenger deck. The boat was cleared. Two ladies were in the boat. We remained hanging on to the deck house. It looked like everyone for themselves. There was nothing but the house and drifting wreckage. The deck house then broke drift and floated and the other boats floated up with it. One had the side knocked out of it. The captain reached the other boat with a boat hook. The captain said: "We must get assistance, who wants to go in this boat?" I said I will go, and three sailors, the mate and one passenger were hanging on the lifeboat. "Twice washed clear of the wreckage by a big sea."

"You had not shoved off from the wreckage?"  
Witness—We, three, but the painter fouled the boat. There were two passengers, the steward and his brother close by. They were asked by the captain if they wished to go in the boat. The steward said: "If an all right when I am." The brother said: "Can I go in that boat?" The captain said: "Certainly." Suddenly the boat was washed clear. I was pulled in by one of the sailors. We were to leeward of the steward's brother. We had no rowlocks, only oars, and could not paddle to windward up to him. He was sitting on a door. There was no chance to get him. We put the boat to windward and paddled to shore as the captain shouted to him to hang on while he went for assistance. We were half a mile from the nearest landing point but could not land there. At the beach the captain told the mate to go to North Saanich for a launch, while he went to Sidney for assistance.

"Do you consider that the boat was top heavy?"  
Witness—Not more than lots of other boats around here.

"Did you think her safe under the condition she was in?"  
Witness—I have left in worse weather. I had no idea of accident or I would not have gone.

Captain Sears' Story.  
Capt. Albert A. Sears gave his evidence as follows:  
"After leaving the wharf we swung around and steered north by east. I have steered that course for seven months. I then changed it to northwest by north, which heads straight for Chance point. The reason is our magnet. The vessel seemed buoyant enough till two minutes from Robert point. The storm lasted only four hours. It wasn't so very bad when we left the wharf. We struck a bad sea out. The ship gave a heavy lurch to leeward. I felt the cargo shift and the mate came and told me."

"I put her before the wind when the cargo shifted to give her a chance to right up. She recovered and rolled to windward, went over three or four big seas and rolled heavily to leeward. More cargo shifted, and although I could not see it I felt her surge down. The passengers came and told me she was filling. I put the helm hard to starboard and headed for Robert bay. She answered the helm but did not right herself and kept settling. I stayed at the wheel with the water coming in on the lee side of the pilot house. I found the door open and went out through the top side of the pilot house. I found the ladies in the cabin. The passengers had life belts on and the mate pulled one lady from the water and I pulled two. I pulled five on to the wreckage from the water, four to the deck and the steward. I said 'anyone who wants to go in this boat can go. Three people were in the boat before she cleared. There was a portion of the gunwale off about a foot by eight inches. I asked for volunteers for the second boat.'"

"At this point Capt. Sears desired to make an explanation in regard to the steward, Hartnell. He said:  
"When I pulled him out of the water I set him on his feet and he had a life belt on. He took off the belt and put on a life buoy and then put two large pieces of wreckage under his arms. When I told Hartnell to hold on to the wreckage and he would float ashore I didn't know that we would be able to secure the second boat. This was before we got the second boat."

Capt. Sears corroborated the chief engineer as to the trip to land and continued: "When I got ashore I got the nearest telephone and also saw a launch and fishing boat at sea going out to the wreck. When I left the wreck and said we were going to get assistance I had no idea that the accident had been seen from the shore and rescue parties were already on their way. When I got ashore I got a launch and helped to lift him out of the canoe. I asked him where the steward was and why they didn't come together. He said Herbert Hartnell had called to 'go on, don't wait for me, I am all right.'"

"About this time I was about all in, and people told me on the beach to go home; half a dozen of them met me on the beach, and Mr. Forbes took me home to change my clothes."

Capt. Sears was ordered to procure a plan of the boat from the builder, Alex. Watson, and also produce a copy of the manifest.

Prosper David and other members of the crew are being examined this afternoon.

The body of Hoo Say, a Chinaman, who was bound for Pender Island, was picked up yesterday and brought to town.  
Dr. Lockyer and Mr. McLean, of the Solar Physics Observatory, South Kensington, have been dispatched by the British government to Vavau, one of the Friendly Islands, about 1,000 miles northwest of New Zealand, to observe the eclipse of the sun on April 29. The expedition will have a duration of three months and a half, and during that time the scientists hope to obtain photographs which will enable them to define at least two or three of the uncertain chemical elements of the sun. It is known that there are twenty-five such elements; of these sixty have been detected and definitely determined and fifteen yet lack definition.

## TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

American League—Scores were as follows:  
Washington, April 13.—Scores were as follows:  
Boston ..... 2 8 3  
Batteries—Cicotte and Madden; Groom and Street. Umpires: Mullen and Connelly.  
Philadelphia, April 13.—Scores were as follows:  
New York ..... 3 10 6  
Philadelphia ..... 1 5 2  
Batteries—Fisher and Blair; Coombs and Lapp. Umpires: Evans and Evan.

Detroit, Mich., April 13.—Scores were as follows:  
Chicago ..... 2 6 1  
Detroit ..... 4 8 2  
Batteries—Walsh and Sullivan; Mullen and Perrine. Umpires: Sheridan and Perrine.

National League  
Chicago, April 13.—Chicago-St. Louis game postponed, rain.  
New York, April 13.—Scores were as follows:  
Philadelphia ..... 6 14 1  
New York ..... 1 3 1  
Batteries—Rowan and Doorn; Mathewson and Myers. Umpires: Paxon and Johnston.

Houston, April 13.—Scores were as follows:  
Brooklyn ..... 7 16 0  
Boston ..... 2 8 1  
Batteries—Bell and Bergen; Matern and Graham. Umpires: Klem and Doyle.

St. Petersburg, April 13.—The budget committee of the Duma to-day approved the grant of \$75,000,000 for the construction of warships and naval works for the Black Sea.

CHILD'S NARROW ESCAPE.  
Found Uninjured Under Stove After Storm Had Blown House From Foundations.  
Horton, Kan., April 13.—The most thrilling escape of Wednesday night's storm was that of a two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hays, who reside in the Reserve district. The baby was blown away with the house, as were other members of the family. After the house had been carried some distance, it was torn to pieces. As quickly as possible members of the family began to count noses and found that they were all present but the baby. The search was made of what ruins of the house remained. The child could not be found and his mother gave him up for lost. Then a cry was heard and lying under a heavy kitchen stove, which still remained on its legs on a small section of the floor, was the child. He was uninjured. An eight-year-old son has a broken arm, but otherwise the family escaped harm.

While the extent of the loss cannot yet be estimated, it is believed in the storm district of northern Kansas it will be heavy and may reach \$75,000.

GIRL DIES SUDDENLY.  
Tacoma, Wash., April 13.—Revising for a moment from an anesthetic, taken for a minor operation of the nose, 10-year-old Margaret Lucinda Williams, daughter of J. C. Williams, a former city patrolman, dropped dead in the office of Dr. J. W. Cline this afternoon. Death was due to heart trouble, from which she had been suffering for years.

Williams took the child to the physicians' office to-day and asked that the operation be performed immediately. Dr. Cline demurred, advising that the child be sent to a hospital, but the father was insistent. As the operation was in no sense serious, the physician consented to perform it at once and ether was administered. When the child regained consciousness she opened her eyes, glanced about her and fell dead.

## WORLD'S LARGEST FLORAL GARDEN

Canadian Pacific Railway Sending Out 100,000 Packages of Seeds

Over 150,000 packages of flower seeds are being sent out this spring by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's floral department to the agents, sectionmen and other employees of the company.  
After nearly twenty years' existence, this department of the railway has become a well-known feature of the railway. It has a large variety of flower seeds, and the quality of the seeds is the best procurable. The steady expansion of this department is owing to the love of cultivating flowers, and the keen desire to beautify their surroundings which has been instilled into the C. P. R. employees by this opportunity for indulging in them, and the result has been most gratifying. Prizes were given for the best flower gardens last year, and the competition was very close. This additional incentive will be continued this year, and prizes will also be given for the best photographs of gardens along the line of railway.

The irrigation and forestry departments of the company in the West are taking warm interest in the work, and in addition to growing flowers, many western agents are raising and have practically created miniature experimental farms of their own. The effective work of the C. P. R. floral department has had wide-reaching beneficial effects, and not only in encouraging a love of flowers amongst the many of employees, and in beautifying its long lines of railway which is highly appreciated by those who travel by the company's trains, but in showing the world that all corporations are not exclusively after the almighty dollar always.

## SLACK WATER—ACTIVE PARS.

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## ATTACK MADE ON MENAGERIE BY-LAW

Arguments Before Mr. Justice Murphy Respecting Dispute at South Saanich

Friday, April 13, is set as the date for arguments in the action to be brought by J. G. French, of French's menagerie, South Saanich, against the municipality of South Saanich, in which the plaintiff, represented by Hon. A. E. McPhillips, K.C., asks that the by-law to regulate the keeping of wild animals in the municipality shall be declared null and void.

Mr. McPhillips appeared in Supreme court chambers, before Mr. Justice Murphy, and read an affidavit of the plaintiff claiming that under the South Saanich by-law he would have to obtain premises two miles square, and claims that it is impossible to do so in the district. The affidavit read that J. G. French has \$20,000 invested in wild animals at his estate, where there are also domestic animals to the value of \$5,000. The affidavit read that objection has been taken to the menagerie by real estate dealers who desire to cut up lots in the neighborhood. It was also stated that a wild animal trainer is employed and that there are, among other animals, six lions, two tigers, seven leopards and two pumas.

Mr. Justice Murphy, on hearing the affidavit, said he would come specially from Vancouver to be here on April 21. The Saanich by-law was passed on the amendment to the Municipal Clauses Act at last session, and the council has informed Mr. McPhillips that it will not be repealed.

## ADDITIONS TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Larger Quarters, Patrol and Mounted Men Asked for by the Commissioners

Two mounted and ten patrol men, as additional to the present force, is being asked by the chief of police and is provided for in the police estimates sent on from the police commissioners to the council. The department also asks for the installation of more Gamewell alarm boxes, for connection with the present system.

Another request sent to the council is for increased police quarters. That portion of the fire hall premises not used by the fire chief and his department is asked for, to provide police headquarters. The necessary alterations to put the quarters in suitable condition will cost \$30,000, and the expenditure is considered necessary because the present offices are found totally inadequate for present needs.

An automobile patrol wagon is included in the police estimates. For the purpose of increasing salaries of the force it has been divided into four grades, the first consisting of those who hold rank immediately under the assistant chief of police. It was decided to increase the chief's salary to \$200, and that of the assistant chief to \$150 per month, while a maximum of \$90 will be granted the patrolmen.

The manager of the New Empress theatre is calling for tenders for the catering for refreshments at that popular resort.

A. B. Oldershaw has removed to 1405 Douglas street, opposite P. Burns.

Remember the B. Williams & Co.'s going out of business sale of high class clothing, hats and furnishings opened this morning at 9.30. Read price list on page 9.

The court of revision for the corporation of Oak Bay municipality will sit on Saturday, May 13, for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments as made by the assessor and for revising and correcting the assessment roll.

On Sunday evening an Easter service of praise will be held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, at which the soloists will be Mr. and Mrs. Alfred A. Codd, Mrs. Jesse Longfield, Miss Bessie, Miss Blakeway, William Melville and D. Angus. An organ recital will precede the service, beginning at 7 p. m.

After hearing a deputation made up of delegates from the Vancouver and Victoria boards of trade the provincial executive yesterday afternoon promised to take into consideration the requests formulated in respect to freight rates and later advise the boards of trade of the decision arrived at.

Excellent progress is being made by the Pacific Coast Construction Company in the work of building the Dallas road sea wall, and the city engineer expresses himself as satisfied with the character of the work done thus far. About 125 men are employed by the company at present, and it is believed that the whole job can be completed in about two months' time.

### LEAPS TO HIS DEATH.

Man Escapes From Custody of Constable and Jumps Through Window.

Denver, April 12.—A young man named Gus Lowitt, who came from Portland, Oregon, committed suicide here to-day by jumping from a window on the sixth floor of the Ernst and Cramer building. A constable had just served a warrant upon him, charging him with selling a mortgaged automobile.

The constable had taken Lowitt to a lawyer's office to engage counsel for

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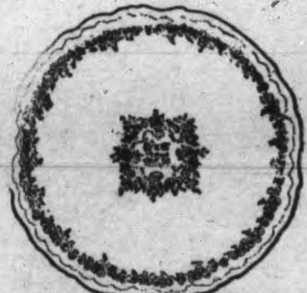
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BOUILLON CUPS AND SAUCERS, doz. \$12  
CHOCOLATE CUPS AND SAUCERS, doz. \$10  
A. D. COFFEES AND SAUCERS, doz. \$9.00  
COVERED DISHES, oval or round. Each at \$4.50  
RAMIKINS AND SAUCERS, Per doz. \$9.50  
BAKERS, Each ..... \$2.00  
SOUP TUREENS, Each ..... \$6.00  
SAUCE TUREENS, Each ..... \$4.00  
SAUCE BOATS, Each ..... \$3.00  
INDIVIDUAL BUTTERS, per doz. \$2.00  
PICKLE DISHES, Each ..... \$1.00  
CHOCOLATE POTS, Each ..... \$3.50  
COVERED BUTTERS, Each ..... \$2.25  
CAKE PLATES, Each ..... \$1.50  
SUGARS, Each ..... \$1.75  
CREAMS, Each ..... \$1.00  
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the prisoner, the latter's wife accompanying them. Suddenly Lowitt ran to a window, raised it and leaped out, hanging for a moment on the sill. The constable managed to grab one of the man's wrists, but was unable to hold on. Lowitt in falling struck some telegraph wires, but his neck was broken on the cement pavement.

Portland, Ore., April 12.—Gus Lowitt who committed suicide in Denver, was well known in Portland. Several years ago he came to this city and started a department store. He carried on an extensive advertising campaign, and to all appearances, was doing well. Suddenly the Oregon Trust and Savings Company failed, and an investigation revealed the fact that Lowitt was indebted to the bank for \$110,000, which he had obtained on unsecured notes.

Lowitt was arrested on a charge of conspiracy to defraud, but the case was dismissed on technicalities, and he went to Denver. Later a new information was filed against him and Lowitt was brought back from Denver and prosecuted, but again he escaped on technicalities, and returned to Denver.

### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, April 12-4 a. m.—An important area of high pressure, central on the Vancouver Island and Washington coast, now covers the Pacific slope and Alberta;

sleet and rain has fallen on the Coast region, and light to heavy frosts have been general west of the Rockies. In the prairie provinces a storm area of considerable intensity is central in Manitoba; a northwesterly gale prevails at Minnedosa, and a heavy rainfall of 1.62 inches has occurred at Winnipeg.

Forecasts.  
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate northerly winds, fair to-day and Friday, with frost at night.  
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair to-day and Friday, and frost at night.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.45; temperature, 48; minimum, 28; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.44; temperature, 32; minimum, 20; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, clear.

Nanaimo—Wind, 4 miles N.; weather, part cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.34; temperature, 35; minimum, 25; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, part cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, 12; minimum, 12; wind, calm; weather, part cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, 36; minimum, 22; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 24; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, 48; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.35; temperature, 48; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

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